WEATHER Colder tonight Thursday some cloudiness and rather cold

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TOJO, SIX OTHERS HANGED IN TOKYO

DUTCH INDIES MARSHALL AID HALTED BY U.S.

ECA Funds Cut Off Pending Settlement of Hostilities in Islands.

WASHINGTON, Dec 22—(AP)—The United States today halted all Marshall Plan aid to The Netherlands East Indies pending settlement of hostilities between the Dutch and the republic of Indonesia

The action was disclosed in a cable sent to Paul G Hoffman, economic cooperation administrator, to the chief of the ECA mission in The Netherlands.

A top ECA official said the move came after "full consultation" with the State department.

The text of the cable was not immediately made public. However, it was known that the action cuts off for the present any ECA aid grants to The Netherland East Indies

Dr D Soemitro Indonesian envoy had asked Undersecretary of State Lovett to shut off Marshall plan aid to the Dutch, charging the assistance was being used to crush the Indonesian republic.

Denies Use of Funds

The Dutch ambassador, Eelco Van Kleffens, denied any recovery funds have been used to arm Dutch troops.

Apparently the suspension of recovery grants to The Netherlands Far Eastern territories does not affect ECA allocations to the Dutch homelands However, there was no immediate clarification on this score

So far, ECA has approved Marshall plan grants to The Netherlands totaling $298 564,675 and $61,790,958 to the East Indies

The action suspending aid to Indonesia was the second such move in as many days. ECA Chief Hoffman yesterday announced the dropping, for the time being, of $70,000,000 in reconstruction aid for China.

Dr Soemitro said in Washington yesterday he had urged Under Secretary of State Lovett to give "serious consideration" to cutting off ECA dollars as a means of persuading the Dutch to stop their military campaigns in Indonesia.

The Netherlands government in The Hague a week ago said no European recoery plan aid had been used to supply military equipment to Dutch troops in Indonesia.

Assurance Given

An ECA official at The Hague, Dr Alan Valentine, said then he had received assurances from The Netherlands that no ECA commodities provided for the Dutch in Europe had been used "to supply arms, ammunition or other military equipment to Dutch troops in Indonesia"

Valentine said at the time he reviewed the list of ECA authorizations for Indonesia until Jan. 1, 1949, and found these included mainly food, non-military iron and steel materials, civilian vehicles.

Trinity Church Nativity Scene Viewed by 1,500

An estimated 1,500 persons viewed the Christmas nativity scenes at Trinity Baptist church last night, and many appreciative comments were received, Rev J B Holloway, pastor, reported The scene, outside the church, at the entrance and yard fronting on South Main street, is reproduced twice each night with lighting effects and Christmas music Various classes and organizations of the church are taking part, and live animals are used in the tableaus The nightly production will continue through Friday

Tonight, for the successive "Bethlehem" scenes, junior high school age young people will appear in the "living pictures" In the first section, Jean Mather and Bernard Martin will represent Mary and Joseph; and in the second, Marilyn Gorby and Teddy Price, Angels will be Julia Ann Gorman, Joan Freshour, Donna Wymer, Rachel Davis, Nancy Tower, Gwendolyn Epley and Phyllis Albert, and shepherds, Rolland Harty, John Freshour, Freddy Price Ivan Jones, Jerry Wingett and Dick Mull Live sheep and donkey will be used in the scenes

WEATHER REPORT

Noon Today	32
(For period between 8 a. m. yesterday and 8 a. m. today.)	
Maximum	47
Minimum	29
One Year Ago Today	
Maximum	36
Minimum	23

For His Merry Christmas . . .

FRIDAY will be a BIG DAY for your Star newspaperboy.

On that day he will be given his papers free, and all collections for Friday's paper will be his. It is our way of wishing him a Merry Christmas.

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You can do much Friday to add to the Christmas enjoyment of these "little businessmen" Give them a thank you or a pat on the back for good service. They deserve it.

America Takes Risk In Indonesia Stand

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22—(AP)—American action in the Indonesian crisis represents a calculated risk in the cold war against Communism

It is a bid to rally anti-Red forces throughout the vast colonial regions of southeast Asia even though tough new problems may arise in western Europe.

For the same Netherlands government which the United States condemns in the United Nations for resuming military action against the Indonesians is also a key member of the European recovery program and one of the five western European governments with which a military alliance is being negotiated here

Hence American policy makers had to consider this question

How enthusiastically will the Dutch cooperate in plans to unify western Europe—aided by American dollars and protected by American arms—when, in the Dutch view, American influence is used as a force for breaking down the Dutch empire?

Two Chief Reasons

With European interests solely in mind, Washington might have decided to back the Dutch Indonesian policy. American approval might have been given to the "police action" by which the Dutch captured the leaders of the Indonesian republic and began to conquer Republican territory

There now appear to be two chief reasons why this course was not followed by the United States

The first of these reasons is the argument that in resuming the Indonesian civil war the Dutch violated UN restrictions against military action. And as a member, the United States has to support UN decrees

The second and perhaps more important reason lies in the political upheavals that came with the war and afterward in many areas of Asia—the intensified struggle of colonial peoples for independence.

India and the Philippines both have attained self government, the one from Britain and the other from the United States. But strife and unrest have marked the period not only in Indonesia but also in the Malay states (Britain) and Indo-China (France.)

Communism has been a powerful factor in all those troubled lands Even in independent Burma and Siam the Communists have generated considerable strength

Washington's fears of a new Red surge in Asia have been enlarged in the past three months by the situation in China and the possibility that the Communists eventually may take over the key country

Communism poses as the champion of the victims of "western imperialism" And the Kremlin's agents — attacking the United States on all sides—to some extent have undermined this country's prestige as a traditional defender of independence for all people who seek it

UPPER SANDUSKIAN KILLED IN ACCIDENT

William Amert, 76, Dies in Bucyrus City Hospital.

Special to The Star

UPPER SANDUSKY, Dec 22—William Amert, 76, of Upper Sandusky, was struck and fatally injured by a car driven by Richard Hehr of Upper Sandusky at the corner of East Wyandot avenue and 5th street, 7.30 a m today

Mr. Amert was on his way to Trinity Evangelical Reformed church, where he was employed as janitor He was taken to Bucyrus City hospital where he died at 8:30 a. m.

He lived alone His wife died a year ago. He is survived by two sons, Roy Amert of Shelby and Ralph Amert of Upper Sandusky

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p m at Trinity Evangelical church here Burial will be in Old Mission cemetery.

Patrol Speeds Marion Child To Columbus in Life or Death Run

By SCOTT McMURRAY

A dash for life by a highway patrol car yesterday gave a critically sick five-year-old Marion child a chance to live

Gerald Morgan age 5 son of Mr and Mrs Ervie Morgan of 747 North Grand avenue critically ill and unconscious with an inflammatory cystic thickening of his brain tissues, yesterday was rushed by state patrol cruiser to Children's hospital Columbus where at 11 a m today he underwent a delicate emergency operation.

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STATE PATROLMAN Henry D Shuck 26, of Marion patrol station himself a father was hero of the day Starting at noon, his speeding patrol car roared through heavy pre-holiday traffic at a breakneck pace in a headlong dash for life The unconscious child lay cradled in his father's arms in the rear seat of the car as Patrolman Shuck threaded his way through the busy highways, his siren wailing, to take the child from his home in Marion to Children's hospital, Columbus, in just 50 minutes

The state patrol was called to rush the child to the hospital when it became apparent no other means of surface transportation could make the dash in time

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GERALD MORGAN one of 16 children in the Ervie Morgan family nine boys and seven girls was first stricken by the brain ailment which threatens his life in July of this year after recovering from summer flu His family physician said today the child was practically blind when he first saw him last summer He gave every symptom of having a brain tumor the doctor said He was taken to Children's hospital then and operated for tumor When the brain was exposed the Columbus surgeon who operated found this inflammatory cystic condition, not a true brain tumor

The child remained in Children's hospital four weeks following the operation and had apparently recovered satisfactorily despite the partial loss of his eyesight. Violent headaches which had assailed him before the operation did not recur His progress toward health seemed satisfactory

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SUDDENLY on Monday of this week, tragedy struck the child again Apparently in good health, he rose from his bed to go to supper, collapsed, and fell back into bed.

The family physician was called to his bedside A brief examination revealed the child must be operated on again as quickly as his condition would permit

In this second operation the child's brain was exposed, the brain decompressed, and an obstruction of the spinal fluid tract relieved The same Columbus brain surgeon who performed the original operation in July operated again today. He expressed surprise at the child's condition at a consultation yesterday with the patient's family physician here The specialist stated recurrences of such a brain ailment are indeed rare.

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PHYSICIANS TODAY said the child's chances to live can not be estimated until the outcome of today's operation can be evaluated. The operating surgeon refused to hazard an opinion on the outcome of the operation, Columbus sources reported.

Physicians hoped today's operation would again relieve the child's critically serious brain condition without further impairing his sight

His family physician reported the lad had been playful and happy during his convalescence from his previous operation He had been believed to be rapidly approaching recovery when he was seized with his second attack on Monday of this week

Original plans to rush the child to Columbus immediately after his second seizure were halted when his family physician doubted the wisdom of such a trip until the child was stronger

An immediate effect of the second seizure was a partial paralysis of the right side, including the muscles of the face

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ERVIE MORGAN, father of the child who was laid off his job at a local manufacturing plant only last week, suggested the patrol might be able to get his son to the hospital in time His family physician called Hugh E. Webster, secretary of the Marion Chamber of Commerce, who with Corporal Tom Morgan, state highway patrol head here, arranged the emergency transportation. The patrol was granted special permission to make the mercy dash because Ervie Morgan, with 16 children, no job, and living on city relief, could not pay for other transportation Medical attention has been provided for the child since his first illness by the Marion City and County Welfare department

Patrolman Shuck received the call at patrol headquarters which started the mercy dash at 12 42 p m yesterday At 12 57 p m he was already enroute he advised his station by radio Fifty minutes later he roared into the emergency entrance to Children's hospital.

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FRED MORGAN, 26, eldest brother of the stricken boy and a World War II veteran, rode beside Patrolman Shuck on the front seat of the cruiser during the mercy dash. When the police car ground to a stop outside the hospital he leaped to the ground, opened the hospital doors and summoned attendants who rushed stretchers to the patrol car The child was rushed to a hospital bed and immediately after staff doctors saw how critical his condition was he was placed in an oxygen tent.

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Brain Surgery Performed on 2 Marion Children

Two Marion children were in Columbus hospitals today after submitting to brain operations hardly 12 hours apart. This became known today when an Associated Press dispatch reported the operation on the second child

In addition to the operation on Gerald Morgan at Children's hospital, Kenneth Blankenship, age 9, son of Mr and Mrs. Charles Blankenship of 632 Herman street, was operated on at White Cross hospital last night after being rushed there for removal of a blood clot from his brain The Blankenship child was struck by a taxicab here two weeks ago

Dr H F LePever, eminent Columbus brain surgery specialist, performed both operations

Both children's conditions were described as improved but both remained unconscious at noon today according to wire service reports

The Blankenship boy had submitted to another operation a week ago when a blood clot near the brain was removed

Parents of both children were at the hospitals during the operations.

LABOR TEMPLE PLANNED HERE

N. State St. Building Bought by Marion Laborers' Union.

Marion Laborers Union Local 574 of the International Hod Carriers, Building, and Common Laborers' Union of America will be the first union here to own its own labor temple, J W O'Farrell, financial secretary of the union, announced today.

The union purchased a large frame dwelling at 235 North State street from Mrs. Mabel Chivington in September. The Baldauf Construction Co is now at work on an $8,000 remodeling program to convert the former dwelling house into a modern union hall, business office, and recreation room, with the upstairs floor to be made into a modern apartment which will be tenanted by Miss Irma Carroll, office secretary of the union.

The $14,500 union temple will have its dedication and formal opening Jan. 29 Frank M Patino, of Columbus, International representative of the union, will attend dedication ceremonies. The union's offices will be moved to the new home on or about Jan 15, Mr O'Farrell said The offices are now at 122 North State street

The committee in charge of purchasing and remodeling arrangements for the labor temple are J W Jones, union president, chairman; J W O'Farrell, financial secretary, F W O'Hare, recording secretary, Ralph Lindsay, E C Moore, William Ryan, Morris Murphy, Walter G. Adams and George H Yost.

AWAIT LIE DETECTOR IN GUAM SLAYING

AGANA, GUAM, Dec 22—(UP)—Police said today they were awaiting the arrival of a lie detector from Tokyo to pursue their investigation into the rape-slaying of Ruth Farnsworth, 27-year-old Navy civilian employe

Lt. Comdr James Hackett, assistant security officer, said the investigation was "static" at the moment

"Our real hope is a lie detector which we are expecting from Tokyo," he said

The search for the killer of Miss Farnsworth has narrowed to seven or eight suspects, he said, but the stories of most of them were standing up under careful investigation

Still being sought are two Filipino Scouts who were reported in the area of the jade shop where Miss Farnsworth worked on the night she was dragged into the jungle and slain

Romantic American In Berlin Solitary

BERLIN, Dec 22—(UP)—Edward J Lada, the former American paratrooper who cracked the Russian blockade of Berlin for love, was placed in solitary confinement at the Army jail here today

The resident of Newark N J, who broke out of the stockade Saturday night while awaiting trial for entering the American occupation zone of Germany illegally was recaptured yesterday at the home of a girl friend of Ruth Rueck, unwed mother of his two-year-old daughter, Nancy

Lada said he would give up his American citizenship to be with his child and her mother in Berlin But the ex-serviceman faces a possible 10-year term for jailbreak.

BANS DRIVING FOR LIFE

PORTSMOUTH, O., Dec 22—(AP)—Judge Kenneth Cranston of the municipal court today placed a lifetime driving ban on James Earl Davidson, 20 of Ashland, Ky., on the grounds the man is "not physically or mentally qualified to drive an automobile."

Fuel Short, Navy Plane Tries To Reach Coast

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 22—(AP)—After having been reported down, a four-engine Navy plane still was trying to make the mainland today on a flight from Honolulu, with its fuel supply nearing exhaustion

DR. FLEMMING TO SPEAK

COLUMBUS, O., Dec 22—(AP)—Dr Arthur S Flemming, president of Ohio Wesleyan university, will address the first postwar meeting of the Ohio Vocational association in Columbus Dec 29 Dr Clyde Hissong, state education director, said today teachers, supervisors, directors, superintendents and school principals were expected to attend

PLANE REPORTED MISSING

ATHENS, Dec 22—(AP)—An official at Hassani airport said today a Czechoslovak Airline plane with 24 passengers aboard has been missing since last night The airport said the plane was enroute from Rome to Athens with a crew of five and 19 passengers.

Music Programs Set For Downtown Area

Thursday night programs of Christmas music to be heard over the downtown area and originating from the Marion county courthouse will be given by the mixed chorus of Edison Junior High school, directed by L G Jones, and the Lecture-Recital club chorus This is a part of the Y Men's club project of providing Yuletide music for Marion during the holiday season

The programs, originating from the treasurer's office in the courthouse, are amplified over a sound system During each afternoon and evening, music from records is presented over the sound system for a part of each hour

Tuesday night programs were given by the Eastside Mothersingers, directed by Mrs Warren J Wise, and The Serenaders, directed by L G Jones

The Edison school mixed chorus of about 48 voices will sing at 7:20 p m Thursday It is composed of students from the ninth, tenth and eleventh grades of the school.

At 8:20 p m the Lecture-Recital club chorus of 60 voices will sing. It will be under the direction of Mrs. Bryan Martin, assistant director, in the absence of the regular director, Miss Elizabeth Edgar, who is out of town for the holidays. The chorus was organized about 17 years ago and its president now is Mrs Carter Patton

Serving as chairman of the Y Men's committee in charge of arrangements for the program is Robert Kraner

FACES BIGAMY CHARGE

HAMILTON, O. Dec 22—(AP)—Mrs Kaye Caldwell, 32, of Chillicothe, was arrested here today on an affidavit charging bigamy The affidavit was signed by John Dunseith of Chillicothe, who charged that the woman got married here last week while she still was his wife

HIDEKI TOJO

ORDER DUGGAN DEATH PROBE

New York Mayor Acts at Request of Former State Dept. Official.

NEW YORK, Dec 22—(AP)—Mayor William O'Dwyer today directed New York Police to make a "thorough investigation" of the mysterious death of Laurence Duggan

The mayor acted after receiving a telegram from former Under-secretary of State Sumner Welles, who said he was convinced the death of the one-time state department expert was not a suicide.

Duggan plunged to his death Monday night from his 16th floor office just off Fifth avenue.

The police will seek to find out whether he committed suicide, was the victim of an accident as his relatives maintain, or was the object of foul play.

The suggestion that "foul play" had figured in the plunge was made yesterday by acting Chairman Karl Mundt (R-SD) of the house un-American activities committee.

The committee earlier had released testimony linking Duggan to a pre-war Communist group in the state department.

Welles Telegram

Welles' telegram to O'Dwyer read:

"Laurence Duggan was for years one of my closest associates in the state department and since I received from him only yesterday (Monday) a letter written in the best of spirits, asking me to send him some suggestions in a matter in which he was interested, I find it impossible to believe his death was self-inflicted

"I hope you will permit me to urge that every possible step be taken to find out whether there may not be some other explanation."

The mayor replied:

"Police Commissioner (Arthur) Wallander has been directed to make a thorough investigation of all circumstances concerning the death of Laurence Duggan as requested by you You have my personal assurance that this will be done."

At the same time, the federal bureau of investigation announced it will not enter the probe of Duggan's death because it is a local police matter.

Mundt had said there was "more than a slight possibility of foul play" that might "lead directly to the Communist espionage conspirators" Later, he said, he had no evidence of his own to support his suspicions.

Yesterday afternoon ex-Communist courier Whittaker Chambers, who purportedly once accused Duggan of giving him confidential government papers, denied he ever made such an accusation

The FBI disclosed that 10 days ago it questioned Duggan, but added, without elaborating, that the questioning was merely "routine."

Associates of Duggan theorized he might have fallen through an open window while trying to put on his galoshes. The other was in his office, along with his hat and coat.

LONG-TIME ESCAPEES LEAVE PRISON TODAY

COLUMBUS, O., Dec 22—(AP)—Two fugitives who returned voluntarily to complete their sentences at Ohio penitentiary walked out of the prison as free men today

The pair, Mel Shane 38, a Detroit businessman, and William H. Bucksberg, 48, a Pittsburgh carpenter, received commutations from Gov Herbert Monday.

Shane, who returned two years ago, boarded a plane for Detroit after cheerfully bidding goodbye to prison officials and guards

"I'm happy to get out, that's what counts!" he exclaimed.

Bucksberg, who came back only

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PAY PENALTY FOR JAPANESE WAR CRIMES

Wartime Premier Last of 7 To Die in Grim Sugamo Prison.

TOKYO Thursday, Dec 23—(AP) Former Premier Hideki Tojo and six other Japanese warlords were hanged today for Japan's crimes against humanity

Tojo was the last to die of the three Axis dictators who plunged the world into the most bloody war in history

The Army announced seven went to their deaths on the gallows in Sugamo prison, where they had been held for more than two and a half years—during and after their long trial.

Only Monday the U. S supreme court closed the last possible door of escape. It found it was without authority to act on the appeals of two of them, Gen. Kenji Doihara and former Premier Koki Hirota

The seven were condemned by the international tribunal which handed out prison terms to 18 of their co-defendants

No Details Revealed

The Army gave no details of the hangings It promised to hand out more information later to newsmen, who were not permitted to attend

The first of the condemned men dropped to his death at one minute past midnight today (10:01 a m eastern standard time).

Who was the first to die and the order in which they went were not indicated. It also was possible several were hanged at once because the executions went off fast.

The hangings were finished by 36 minutes after midnight.

A Buddhist priest and two U. S chaplains were reportedly in the prison for the executions since early Wednesday.

Tojo survived his fellow dictators, Adolf Hitler of Germany and Benito Mussolini of Italy. He was the only one of the three to stand trial. Hitler supposedly died in the ruins of Berlin as the Russians closed in. Mussolini was killed by Italian partisans.

Col. Marion P. Echols, MacArthur's public information officer, apparently was at Sugamo prison when the hangings took place

Capt H H Hawkins, duty officer, said he received his information directly from Echols, who may furnish the additional details

Announcement from the Army public information office said "Between 0001 and 0025 Dec. 23, all seven of the war criminals that were condemned by the International Military Tribunal for the Far East were hanged"

Utmost secrecy surrounded the execution at the prison on strict orders from General MacArthur.

Six Others Hanged

In addition to wartime Premier Tojo, the other six hanged were:

Gen. Kenji Doihara, the Manchurian plotter.

Koki Hirota, former premier.

Gen Seishiro Itagaki, former war minister.

Gen Heitaro Kimura, chief of the Japanese armies in Manchuria.

Gen. Iwane Matsui, who commanded at the rape of Nanking.

Lt Gen Akira Muto, chief of staff in the Philippines.

The brief announcement gave no other details.

The Army promised, however, that details of the last minutes of the seven warlords would be made public as soon as witnesses could be interviewed at the prison

Newspapermen were not allowed to attend

The seven were convicted of plotting and waging aggressive war in the Pacific and the Far East An 11-nation Allied tribunal sat in judgment on them for 2½ years

Headquarters has announced that bodies of the former cabinet members and military leaders will be cremated To prevent enshrinement of the war criminals, their families will be denied their ashes

U S Eighth army was in charge of the executions General MacArthur refused clemency to any of the 25 class "A" war crimes defendants convicted by the international tribunal. The 18 others received prison terms—16 of them for life.

Night Was Cold

It was a clear, cold night when the men who once ruled a vast empire began their final march.

It was evident they were handled with dispatch and probably military crispness.

This is the kind of treatment the warlords understood, although

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NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

CROSSING THE RHINE. Members of U. S. 1st Engineer Combat Battalion, stationed at Darmstadt, Germany, work on Rhine pontoon bridge between Rheinhausen and Speyer. Men assembled 780-foot bridge in 6 hours and 15 minutes.

Healthy Diet Called Need for Good Teeth

MINNEAPOLIS — (UP) — A healthy diet and good medical care will go a long way toward preventing children's mental disturbances caused by poorly-formed teeth.

That is the consensus of a dental health workship at the University of Minnesota, attended by dentists from throughout the state.

They examined, among other things, the relationship between mental balance and facial defects caused by crooked teeth.

Dr. Thomas Speidel of the university's dentistry school, said badly-formed teeth result in such things as inferiority complexes.

"For example," Speidel said, "an otherwise pretty girl with crooked teeth in many cases will suffer just as surely as will a person with diseased teeth."

But, Speidel added, "If parents can keep a child healthy, give him an adequate diet and insist on good, periodic dental care, they have done their duty toward a good-looking facial structure."

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Blue jeans and a denim shirt, for work around the yards and barns; stout boots for tramping through the fields; and a straw hat when the sun gets high—a uniform you see from Maine to Texas, Iowa to Alabama.

It's the uniform of an army—the great army of American farmers who, by their productivity, are helping to keep this nation strong—bolstering the forces of democracy that guard our freedom.

And in their way of life, too, they are champions of freedom. *Temperate* folk who enjoy a moderate glass of beer—but never quarrel with those who prefer cider. *Tolerant* people who fight to the bitter end against oppression and intolerance. From where I sit, a credit to America!

Joe Marsh

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BOWLING SCORES

Bowling in Marion Thursday night brought forth its star in Johnston of the Fraternal league, who bowled a 236 for the highest single game Kayatin led this loop in high series totals with 556. Other high single games were rolled by Kayatin with 213, Hinze 210, Thome 205, and Irvine 200.

Lee Schuler, bowling in the Classic league, topped that loop with 235 for singles while Frank Putman collected games of 234 and 205 for a 617 series total. In all, 20 games over 200 were rolled in the Classic loop.

In the Huber league Wilson copped men's single game honors with another score of 234 while Bunnell led in three-game totals, hitting 549. Thompson bowled 222, Dutt 205 and 201, Poorman 204, and Tower 200. Leib scored 186 for women's high single game honors and Burkepile led in the series totals with 481. Baldauf registered a high three-game score of 502 to lead the Palace league.

League standings, team and individual three-game scores follow:

PALACE LEAGUE

	W.	L.
Palace Recreation	30	16
May's Jewelers	29	16
Don Clark's Meat Mkt.	26	20
Killinger's Insurance	24	21
Steward Construction	22	23
Acme Cleaners	21	24
Hammond Insurance	18	27
Up-To-Date Cleaners	11	34

Palace Recreation—Weis 424, Applegett 396, Pritchard 479, Baldauf 502, Samples 489, total 2290.

Steward Const. Co.—Snyder 497, Greene 399, Bryant 328, Markham 259, Jones 465, Hcp. 128; total 2068.

Killinger's Insp. Ins.—Felter 404, Lloyd 469, Johnson 416, Primmer 327, Richards 454, Hcp. 15; total 2085.

Hammond Ins.—Morris 454, Sheldrick 435, Clark 314, Ponkey 348, Burbrink 414, total 1965.

Acme Cleaners — Taylor 295, Skatzes 361, Thome 382, Whetro 348, Bailey 391; total 1774.

Up-To-Date Cleaners—Martin 279, Cash 281, Neiderhauser 315, Percival 332, Thomas 405, Hcp. 216; total 1819.

May's Jewelers—DeBolt 340, Blind 300, D. Montgomery 413, M. Montgomery 405, Stephenson 258; total 1816.

Don Clark Meats—Swihart 297, Callahan 352, Neiderhauser 393, Felchter 412, Ulsh 353, Hcp. 20; total 1937.

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RUBER LEAGUE

	W.	L.
Team No. 8	22	17
Team No. 1	25	20
Team No. 7	25	20
Team No. 11	25	20
Team No. 3	24	21
Team No. 12	24	21
Team No. 2	23	22
Team No. 4	23	22
Team No. 10	22	23
Team No. 5	21	24
Team No. 6	16	29
Team No. 9	15	30

Team No. 11 — McConnell 478, Southworth 411, Leib 466, Wilson 419, Arthur 514, Hcp. 183; total 2466.

No. 8—Dutt 560, Miley 447, Ruth 356, Roseberry 444, Thompson 510, Hcp. 198; total 2509.

No. 4—Burkepile 412, Brunner 517, McCrery 420, Rigley 421, Seiter 507, Hcp. 213, total 2494.

No. 7—Gibson 514, Strine 407, Denton 339, Bailey 422, Rowland 489, Hcp. 180; total 2351.

No. 12—Wilson 537, Cowgill 479, Burkepile 481, Wissler 425, McCrery 532, Hcp. 165; total 2619.

No. 3—Clark 479, Orthmeyer 346, L. Anderson 357, W. Anderson 460, Poorman 515, Hcp. 210; total 2367.

No. 10—Welch 474, Tower 468, Tanner 445, Armbruster 509, Gibson 458, Hcp. 171; total 2525.

No. 2—Corney 375, Garverick 421, Gibson 421, Ruth 471, Acker 503, Hcp. 186; total 2376.

No. 1—Emery 419, Lloyd 395, Ziegler 395, Somerlot 393, Bunnell 549, Hcp. 168; total 2324.

No. 5—Weiser 415, Donaugh 461, A. Edgington 365, Farst 459, L. Edgington 381, Hcp. 201; total 2282.

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CLASSIC LEAGUE

	W.	L.
Spot Restaurant	32	10
Floyd Rieser Market	27	15
Rub Bar & Grill	26	16
Smart & Waddell	26	16
Plaid Room	23	19
Marion Power Shovel	22	20
Marion Rapid Transit	18	24
Clark Metal Products	18	24
Elks Lodge No 39	17	25
City Furniture Mart	17	25
Upper Sandusky	12	27
Palace Recreation	11	26

Spot Restaurant — Pelfer 556, Schuler 561, Parshall 502, Kayatin 538, Johnson 503; total 2660.

Elks — Luse 560, Hinklin 509, Stephenson 539, Shirk 435, Petrich 528; total 2561.

Marion Rapid Transit—R. Maag 513, Schrader 516, Caprino 530, W. Maag 443, Tanner 519; total 2521.

Plaid Room—Putman 617, Haas 546, Osborne 504, Thibaut 556, Sharrock 560; total 2783.

Palace Recreation — Oberlander 550, Rife 594, Acker 434, Krause 479, Chamberlain 468; total 2525.

Hub Bar & Grill—Greenland 485, Phillians 491, Myers 562, Shoemaker 550, Winterstellar 464; total 2542.

Floyd Rieser Market—Snyder 516, Wilcox 522, Redding 526, Snell 544, Stewart 520; total 2628.

City Furniture Mart—Kuhner 498, Herriott 529, Eicher 489, Graham 434, Applegett 510; total 2509.

Upper Sandusky—Randolph 532, Iles 547, Crispin 507, G. Gottfried 584, L. Gottfried 534; total 2695.

Marion Power Shovel—Little 481, Pritchard 546, Anderson 491, Wells 567, Snyder 530; total 2585.

Smart & Waddell—Kingsley 575, Metz 433, Burdell 554, D. Shoemaker 521, Boyd 537, total 2640.

Clark Metal Products—Steinmetz 526, Aethelm 446, Gilmore 446, Gunder 490, Fields 577, total 2485.

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FRATERNAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.
Moose No. 1	28	16
B'nai B'rith	25	17
American Legion No 1	22	20
VFW	21	21
Moose No 2	20	22
American Legion No 2	16	22
K of C No 2	17	25
K of C No 1	16	26

VFW — Haughn 496, Johnston 522, Ullom 502, Keller 507, Amiot 412, total 2439.

K of C No 1—Masters 399, Moran 429, McKinney 448, Haanen 312, Tobin 439; total 2271.

Moose No 2—J. Kayatin 556, Bond 413, Hill 319, Lehner 342, Jevas 462, Hcp 75, total 2165.

Moose No 1—Whiteman 439, Williamson 443, Thome 518, Mahler 470, Ulsh 494, total 2364.

B'nai B'rith — Halberstein 486, Lenavitt 451, Freed 424, Lurye 439, Hamburg 442; total 2236.

K of C No 2—Irwin 429, McCollister 451, Daugherty 521, LaValley 479, Wagner 479, Hcp 3; total 2272.

American Legion No 2—Felgar 426, Dripps 394, Schwartz 410, O'Brian 299, Morrison 472, Hcp. 90; total 2091.

American Legion No 1—Crom 436, Riser 451, Hinze 546, Bowen 393, Burklew 506; total 2312.

Local bowlers were again hitting Friday night as Dickerson paced the Industrial loop, and the other Marion leagues, with 237 for the evening's highest individual single game. May topped the Industrial league for a high series total of 594. In the Commercial Bowling league Jones led for singles with a score of 234 and Owens had a high three game total of 606, rolling games of 216 and 212. Stephenson shot 232, Thorpe 212, Thibaut 211, Tanner 206, R. Maag 204, and Lewis and Redding, each, 202.

Hanovich headed the Independent league in both departments as he registered scores of 225 for single games and 578 for the series. Hill bowled 221 and 214, Solomon 214, W. Maag 208, McKeever and Lavender 206, Threlfall 206 and 200, Feichter 205, Yinger 204, and Herriott 201.

Loop standings, individual and team three game scores follow:

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.
Axe Funeral Home	31	17
National City Bank	29	19
Anson Pickerel, Inc.	29	19
Osgood Shovel Co	27	21
Chuck & Jim's Gulf Serv.	25	23
McMillen Feed Mills	25	23
Marion Rapid Transit	22	26
Plumley Excavating Co.	23	25
Groll Furniture	21	27
Midtown Chevrolet	20	28
Safety Cab Co	19	29
Marion Metal Products	18	30

Safety Cab Co.—Fields 397, Baer 459, Montroy 434, Coy 481, Owens 606, Hcp. 212; total 2640.

Osgood Shovel Co.—Thorpe 562, Lewis 516, Winters 486, Jones 462, Augenstein 521, Hcp. 45; total 2493.

Marion Metal Products—F. Layman 482, C. Layman 436, Skatzes 483, Thome 514, Ulsh 483, Hcp. 177, total 2575.

McMillen Feed Mills—Messenger 543, Reid 377, Brown 429, McCleary 573, Umbaugh 526, Hcp. 264, total 2721.

Plumley Excavating Co.—Thibaut 529, Hoffman 418, Weis 413, Goodspeed 428, Redding 542, Hcp. 138, total 2466.

Anson Pickerel, Inc.—Stephenson 517, Randall 526, Fair 485, Woessner 509, Thibaut 509, Hcp. 39; total 2585.

Groll Furniture Co.—Newell 513, Richardson 458, Cheney 498, Groll 454, Goerlick 507, Hcp. 165; total 2595.

Marion Rapid Transit—R. Maag 544, Caprino 522, Thompson 446, Fred Maag 468, Tanner 582, Hcp. 84; total 2588.

National City Bank—Oberlander 472, Coldwell 413, Langdon 507, Haldeman 419, Anderson 536, Hcp. 108; total 2448.

Chuck & Jim's Gulf—Neiderhauser 523, Eckert 458, Dillon 459, Long 424, Burley 448, Hcp. 391; total 2613.

Midtown Chevrolet Fleetliners—Haycook 377, Hinaman 503, McKee 403, Gunn 500, Dose 564, Hcp. 253; total 2589.

Axe Funeral Home—Niseman 503, Hoffman 546, Burdell 529, Turner 442, Felter 467, Hcp. 9; total 2496.

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INDEPENDENT BOWLING LEAGUE

	W.	L.
Marion Distributing Co.	34	14
Hinton Sport Shop	30	18
Marion Lincoln Mercury	28	20
Steward Construction	24	24
Leffler's Jewelers	23	25
Eagles	23	25
Singer's Jewelers	23	25
Chivington Auto Sales	23	25
Acme Beverage	23	25
Schaffner-Denzer	21	27
Ritz Bar & Grill	21	27
Marion Metal Products	20	28

Chivington Auto Sales — Steele 455, Solomon 541, Shipley 489, Reed 512, Reidenbaugh 376, Hcp. 219; total 2585.

Steward Const. Co.—Strawser 405, Greene 464, Tanner 487, Steward 449, Barnard 484, Hcp. 253; total 2541.

Leffler's Jewelers—J. Gast 518, Bradshaw 459, Fox 462, E. Gast 491, Threlfall 589, Hcp. 171; total 2650.

Singer's Jewelers—Blind 129, Parshall 395, Feifer 407, Turner 316, Bacon 476, Krauss 506, Hcp. 224; total 2501.

Marion Lincoln Mercury—Fetter 452, Thomas 473, McArthur 423, Feichter 514, Weis 494, Hcp. 96; total 2472.

Marion Metal Prod.—W. Lavender 436, Vanecoy 469, F. Layman 492, Hill 532, Thome 526, Hcp. 135; total 2651.

Hinton Sport Shop—Gottfried 511, Gorenflo 513, Spurlock 435, Clark 501, Harriot 525, Hcp. 81; total 2565.

Marion Dist. Co.—Nicolosi 495, Robinson 474, McKeever 496, Chamberlain 544, Hanovich 578, Hcp. 33; total 2620.

Eagles—Way 450, Schott 511, Shirk 477, Thomas 504, Felter 518, Hcp. 102; total 2562.

Schaffner - Denzer — Riley 508, Burley 403, Yinger 556, Owen 519, W. Maag 513, Hcp. 72; total 2571.

Acme Beverage Co.—Rish 435, Biggerstaff 469, Scott 478, Fryman 473, Hochstetter 450, Hcp. 223; total 2524.

Ritz Bar & Grill—Bailey 507, Dutt 445, Ernsberger 357, W. Hill 540, Predmore 432, Hcp. 213; total 2494.

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INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.
Sweet Shop	35	17
General Excavator No. 1	27	18
Erie Traffic	25	20
Gulf	24	21
General Excavator No. 2	21	24
General Excavator No. 3	20	25
Redmen	19	26
Weather Seal	16	29

Sweet Shop—Blind 375, Edler 450, Walker 542, Wertenbruch 448, Dickerson 510; total 2325.

Redmen—Kremer 379, Arndt 382, George 372, Luff 385, Jackson 465, Hcp. 150; total 2114.

General Excavator No. 1—Barber 367, Pausnaugh 412, Crissinger 505, Dulin 497, Clark 448; total 1329.

Weather Seal—Cahill 425, Maurer 500, Caldwell 299, Schott 369, Malott 326, Hcp. 99; total 2017.

Gulf—Morehart 489, Thomas 435, Bryant 371, Cochran 423, Kisaner 410; total 2073.

General Excavator No. 2—Leffler 465, Hecker 377, Long 385, Richards 461, May 594, Hcp. 54; total 2336.

General Excavator No. 3—Mathis 489, Freeman 370, Joy 391, Scott 477, Eaton 473; total 2100.

Erie—Farley 460, Mitchell 484, Thomas 368, Young 477, Blind 375, Hcp. 6; total 2130.

Bowlers in the Ohio Public Service league seemed to get the best results in Monday night's bowling in Marion. Newt Minard hit 236 to cop the loop's single game honors while Yinger led for the series with a total score of 582, rolling a nifty 222 single. Other men's high single games in this loop were turned in by Jacobs and Shorter who each bowled 201. Monnette led both departments of the OPS loop for ladies with scores of 179 single and 463 series.

In the Home league Ray Snyder led in single games with 223 and Jerew was tops for the series, bowling 580. Lockstead bowled 220, Seaton 211, Wilcox 210, L. Johnson 209, Peifer 207, Barber and Miller, each, 203, R. Johnson 202, and Alber 200. Stephenson also rolled 223 to lead the Marion Power Shovel league in single games with Niederhauser hitting 580 for the high three game total. Newman shot 204, Ault 203, and Fisher 201 for other high single games in this loop.

Thomas headed both departments of the Monday night ladies' league with 194 for high single game, and a 490 for the three game total. In all, 39 single games over 160 were bowled in this league while 18 ladies ended up with scores of over 450 for three games.

League standings, individual and team three game scores follow:

HOME LEAGUE

	W.	L.
Spotless Cleaners	30	15
Lima Packing Co.	28	17
Millard Hunt Co.	28	19
Jim Dugan	23	22
Smith Funeral Home	23	22
Furniture Hospital	21	24
Carroll's Jewelry	16	29
UAW No. 750	13	32

Smith Funeral Home—Snyder 550, Johnston 530, Daugherty 489, Schnitzler 463, Orthmeyer 499; total 2531.

Lima Packing Co.—Wilcox 550, Fetter 491, Ault 515, Miller 448, Johnson 546; total 2550.

Furniture Hospital — Messenger 479, Bloomingdale 485, Keller 494, Jevas 428, Barber 561; total 2447.

UAW No. 750—Miller 547, Joyce 392, Thompson 488, Blind 135, Parshall 332, Seaton 509; total 2403.

Carroll's Jewelry—J. Kayatin 478, R. Campbell 462, Larcom 448, Schuler 474, Cheney 380; total 2242.

Millard Hunt Co.—Peifer 438, Fair 438, Banasik 429, Hunt 510, Rogers 532; total 2347.

Spotless Cleaners—Long 444, Peifer 546, Hazen 444, Lenavitt 528, Jerew 580; total 2542.

Jim Dugan Co.—White 444, Cockston 519, Cheney 419, Alber 491, Lockstead 521; total 2394.

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MONDAY NIGHT LADIES LEAGUE

	W.	L.
Green's Sporting Goods	29	16
Wickersham Stables	27	18
Bougher's Restaurant	27	18
Marion Rapid Transit	25	20
Cottage Beauty Shop	24	21
Lakeside Inn	24	21
Laundromat	22	23
Marion Power Shovel	22	23
Marion Tire Center	21	24
Oakland Cleaners	20	25
Huber Mfg.	16	29
Howard Swink	13	32

Bougher's Restaurant — Hickman 430, Nece 417, Shirk 457, Stafford 478, Baudauf 477; total 2259.

Oakland Cleaners — Morris 427, M. D. Martin 397, V. Thomas 490, Peifer 350, P. Way 382, Hcp. 87, total 2133.

Wickersham's — Rhinehart 441, Blind 300, Applegett 441, Ruhl 445, Watts 480, Hcp. 6; total 2113.

Marion Rapid Transit — Dalton 487, I. Snyder 403, Fetter 415, Redding 448, P. Snyder 489, total 2247.

Marion Power Shovel—Galloway 429, Selter 396, Baker 467, Gilmore 437, Crock 469, Hcp 24; total 2222.

Laundromat — Stephenson 434, Jones 356, Samples 457, Endicott 445, Pritchard 403, total 2130.

Huber Mfg.—Gibson 402, War 351, DeSimone 422, Price 341, Zeigler 456, Hcp 19, total 1991.

Cottage Beauty Shop—Wilcox 395, Osborne 452, Bryant 413, Kissner 448, Ernsberger 466, total 2176.

Green's Sporting Goods—Richards 382, Lloyd 461, Felter 425, McCleary 482, Hodge 453, Hcp. 18; total 2221.

Lakeside Inn—Bigley 406, Burkepile 397, Magers 395, Jones 408, Peifer 487; total 2093.

Goodyear — Applegett 334, Weis 468, Hinze 446, Ulsh 424, Hartley 389, total 2111.

Swink Adv. Agency—Smith 392, Detrick 413, Blank 345, Montgomery 419, Miller 321, Hcp. 192; total 2081.

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THE OHIO PUBLIC SERVICE LEAGUE

	W.	L.
Roasters	26	19
Waffle Irons	25	20
Refrigerators	24	21
Toasters	24	21
Mixers	23	22
Sweepers	23	22
Water Heaters	22	23
Lamps	22	23
Clocks	21	24
Washers	21	24
Irons	20	25
Ranges	19	26

Waffle Irons—Conkle 399, Linder 375, Jacobs 551, Nickol 397, Yazel 457; total 2179.

Ranges — Martin 415, Callahan 291, Koeppen 380, A. Callahan 281, Seckel 443, Hcp. 153; total 2063.

Clocks—Bender 398, Burke 362, Norton 421, Blind 375, Larsen 461; total 2017.

Sweepers—Klinger 346, Ball 295, Everett 375, Blind 375, Daniels 534, Hcp. 153; total 2078.

Irons—Miller 408, Clarke 418, McCurdy 372, Minard 549, Christman 496; total 2242.

Water Heaters—Conkle 312, Mash 319, McGilvin 316, Moran 429, Kerr 530, Hcp. 261; total 2167.

Roasters — Rhinehart 378, Oller 260, Miller 481, Ellinwood 432, Yinger 582, Hcp 15; total 2148.

Toasters—Ekey 432, Kaelber 443, Blind 375, Burke 340, Shorter 565; total 2155.

Washers—Hetzer 440, Murray 345, Baer 328, Soulier 413, Iams 468; total 1994.

Mixers—Lash 452, Wittbslager 364, Blind 125, Butterworth 272, Baer 409, Magers 494, Hcp. 54; total 2170.

Lamps—Ulrich 366, Mathias 439, Zuspan 474, Clauer 451, Riley 514, Hcp. 135; total 2379.

Refrigerators — Irvin 394, Potts 376, Monnette 463, Bond 443, Ulsh 493; total 2169.

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MARION POWER SHOVEL LEAGUE

	W.	L.
Tool Grinders	27	15
Happy Five	26	16
Lucky 5	24	18
Night Owls	23	19
K 9's	22	20
Machine Room No 2	21	21
Dept. 56	15	27
69ers	10	32

Lucky Five—Swain 367, Blind 360, Vanscoy 431, Ruhl 504, Jones 449, total 2111.

Night Owls—Blind 260, Blind 360, Orr 360, Drollinger 502, Shults 497, Hcp. 96, total 2175.

K 9s—Stephenson 532, Chambers 414, Showalter 436, Davis 455, Niederhauser 580, Hcp 18, total 2468.

Happy Five—Neal 447, Black 436, Sisson 475, Ault 447, Fisher 542, total 2347.

Dept. 56—Jones 467, Bowers 489, Solomon 367, Drollinger 328, Rorick 396, Hcp 18; total 2065.

Tool Grinders—James 459, Blair 359, Chapman 353, Coxey 324, Lashey 564; total 2089.

69ers—Freese 443, Finley 367, Baer 343, Daniels 412, Smith 415, Hcp 117; total 2097.

Machine Room No 2—Newman 529, Watson 356, Feaver 456, Peddicord 415, Smith 433, total 2189.

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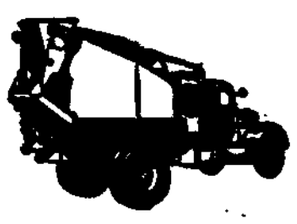

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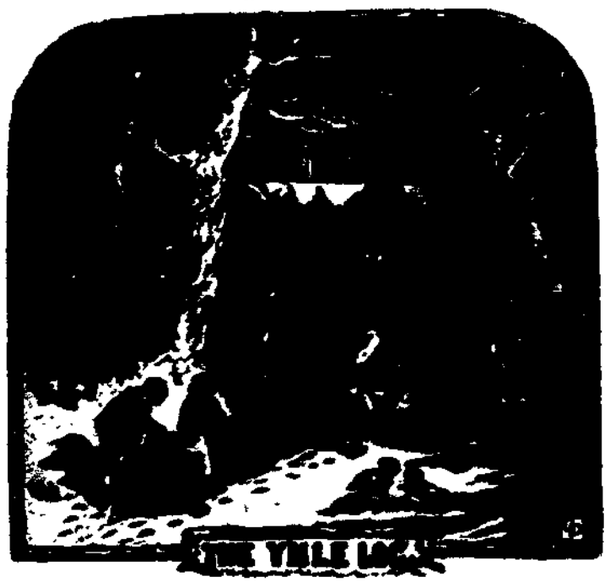

A drawing from an English publication of the time of Charles Lamb (1775-1834) who wrote many glowing things about Christmas.

By CHARLES LAMB

It is the happiest time of the year. It is the season of mirth and cold weather. It is the time when Christmas boxes and jokes are given; when mistletoe and red-berried laurel, and soups, and sliding and school boys prevail; when the country is illumined by fired and bright faces; and the town is radiant with laughing children ... But look! what thing is this, awful and coloured like the rainbow, blue and red and glistening yellow?

Its vest is sky-tinctured! The edges of its garments are like the sun! Is it:

A faery vision
Of some gay creature of the element,
That in the colours of the rainbow lives,
And plays o' the plighted clouds?
No—it is the Beadle of St. ————'s!

How Christmas and consolatory he looks! How redolent of good cheer he is! He is *cornu-copiæ*—an abundance! What pudding sleeves! What a collar, red and like beefsteak, is his. He is a walking refreshment! He looks like a whole parishfull—important—but untaxed.

Town Received Name Through Slight Error

MERCEDES, Tex.—(UP)—This town was named by mistake.

The story goes that the city fathers decided to name it in honor of the wife of the president of Mexico at the time. They were told Porfirio Diaz's wife was named Mercedes, so the town became Mercedes.

Her name wasn't Mercedes at all. But the folks like the town and the name stuck.

Hunter's Arrow Awaited By Accommodating Deer

MONTGOMERY, Mich.—(UP)—Lowell Hawkins can thank a patient deer for his success on a first attempt at game hunting.

He saw a 10-point buck grazing with a herd of cattle and called conservation officials to find out what he should do about it.

"No," said the conservation department. "You can't shoot it with your rifle because you don't have a license, and besides, you must use buckshot for deer."

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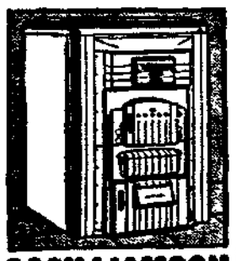

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HITCHED TO METER. Mrs Florence S. Moore, Kingston, N. Y., drops coin in parking meter after tying up her pony, Little Red, during visit to the shopping district.

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CRESTLINE CO-ED'S HEARING DATE SET

COLUMBUS Dec 22 — Miss Lilian V Lightbum 21 Ohio State University sophomore of Crestline, pleaded innocent to charges of forgery when arraigned in municipal court here yesterday

She had been accused of obtaining merchandise from a downtown store under a false name Store detectives who made the arrest Monday said articles recovered were valued at $2 000 and had been taken over a period of several months through false charge accounts.

Municipal court continued the case until Jan 4 for hearing Bond was set at $1,000.

MAYOR FIRES DIRECTOR

FOSTORIA, O, Dec 22—(AP)—City Service-Safety Director Frank H Kinker was fired yesterday by Mayor Charles A Latshaw, effective Jan 1 The mayor said he was dissatisfied with Kinker's performance in the office

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DEATHS and FUNERALS

Mrs. Ellen Weston

Mrs Ellen Weston 86 formerly of Marion county, died Tuesday night in the home of a son, Clyde Weston at Marion, Mich The body will be brought to the Merle H Hughes mortuary on Mt Vernon avenue

Surviving with the son in whose home Mrs Weston died are other children, Mrs Clyde Pickett of north of Marion, and Mrs O L Cocherl of North Greenwood street, and a sister, Mrs Frank Kurt of New Philadelphia

Funeral arrangements are to be completed after arrival of the body here. Burial will be in Mt Olive cemetery west of Green Camp.

Mrs. Amanda Williams

Mrs Amanda Ellen Williams 84 of the White Oaks road died at 7 30 a m today in City hospital

Born Feb 10 1864 in Union county, she was a daughter of Charles and Phoebe Jerew She was married to Girard Northup who died July 23, 1902, and in 1906 she married Henry P Williams who preceded her in death Dec 16, 1928

Surviving are children, E W Northup of 136 Council street, Mrs George Coffey of 720 Bennett street, and Floyd Williams of White Oaks road, and halfsisters, Mrs. Ed Phillippi of Piqua and Mrs Edwin Baker of Prospect

The body was taken to the M H Gunder and Sons funeral home on West Center street where friends may call after 7 30 tonight.

W. S. Willoughby

William S Willoughby, 78, of Tiffin, a former resident of Marion county, died at 6 30 a m today at his home at 354 Benner street in Tiffin He had been ill two months

Mr Willoughby was born Feb 12, 1870 The family lived at Morral for 10 years, leaving there about 35 years ago Prior to moving to Tiffin in 1920 Mr Willoughby lived at Upper Sandusky He was the father of Clifford E Willoughby of 851 East Center street

Surviving with Mr Willoughby of Marion are two daughters, Mrs Evelyn Blossom of Ottawa and Miss Esther Willoughby of Tiffin, and three other sons, Delbert C, of Owassa, Mich, and Robert L and Ralph L of Tiffin Mrs. Willoughby died a year ago.

Funeral services will probably be held Friday.

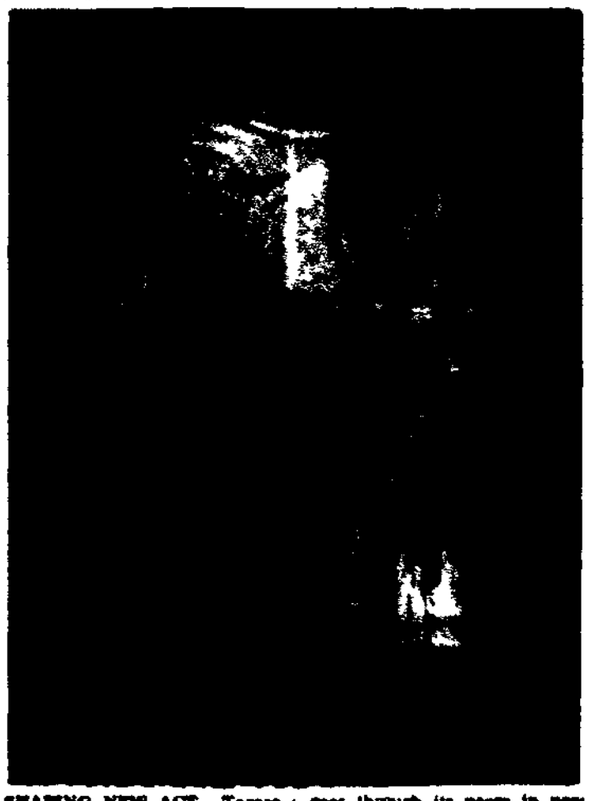
James O. Crowder

James O Crowder, 55, died suddenly in his home at 257 Senate street at 5 a m. today Dr. E. H. Morgan, Marion county coroner, pronounced cause of death a heart attack.

Born Aug. 9, 1893, in Van Wert, he was a son of James E and Frances Judy Crowder, the father a native of Wapakoneta and the mother of Kentucky. He was an employe of the city and was a member of St. Paul's Episcopal church

Surviving are his widow, Mrs C. Marguerite Merrill Crowder, and daughters, Mrs Edith Coleman of Marion and Mrs. Isabelle Simmons of Mt Vernon, and sisters and brothers, Mrs Harrison Johnson, Mrs Harry Richardson, Arthur Crowder, Raymond Crowder and Miles Crowder, all of Marion, George Crowder of Columbus and Pvt Lorain Crowder stationed in Germany.

Funeral service will be conducted Friday at 2 p m. in the Park Street AME church by Rev A. E. Liles, pastor Burial will be in Marion cemetery Friends may call at the Crowder home where the body will be removed from the L A Axe and Son funeral home on Mt Vernon avenue after 7 30 tonight.



SHAPING NEW ACT. Togare the cat trainer, holds two hoops connected with canvas as a tiger goes through its paces in new act for circus opening in London.

Edgar K. Haberman

Edgar Kenneth Haberman, 51 formerly of Marion died in his home near Fort Wayne, Ind, Monday Details of his illness were not learned here The body will be returned to Marion for funeral and burial Thursday

Born June 30, 1897, in Marion, Mr Haberman was a son of Philip J and Sarah Stouffer Haberman, the father a native of Marion and the mother of Pennsylvania. He was a welder

Surviving are a sister and a brother, Mrs Edwin W Francis and Karl Haberman, both of Columbus. Brooks Stouffer of Marion is his uncle.

Funeral services will be at 1 30 p m Thursday in the Merle H Hughes mortuary on Mt. Vernon avenue by Dr. V E Busler, pastor of Epworth Methodist church Burial will be in Marion cemetery Friends may call at the funeral home.

Benjamin M. Smith

GALION—Benjamin M Smith 58, formerly of southeast of Galion, died Tuesday at Phoenix, Ariz.

Born Sept 15, 1890, in Troy township, Morrow county, he was a son of John and Elizabeth Mitchell Smith He was a sign painter, and had traveled extensively in connection with his work.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs Hazel Markey Smith, who is living in Galion, and sons and daughters, Paul F Smith of Standish, Mich, Mrs Dale Mast and Mrs June Hoffman, both of Columbus, and John D Smith Eugene Victor Smith and Mrs James Wenninger, all of Galion, and sisters, Mrs L B Struthers of Iberia and Mrs Harry Eyerly of Mansfield.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday at 2 p m in the Snyder funeral home here by Rev. Norman Somerville of First Methodist church. Burial will be at Iberia

tance died Tuesday morning at his home after a three-year illness. Rev R S Stephens, Bucyrus Church of Christ pastor will officiate and burial will be in Oakwood cemetery Friends may call Thursday night at the funeral home

Mr Quaintance was born Oct 24 1870, at Newton, Ia., a son of Dawson and Catherine Ferrall Quaintance He was married on Nov 10 1898, to Miss Ida Fuller, who survives with two sons, Austin, at home, and Almon of Postoria Two brothers, Edmond of Putnam county and Benjamin of Waterloo, Ind., also survive.

Mr and Mrs Quaintance celebrated their golden wedding anniversary last month. He erected a number of private residences in Bucyrus and later operated a grocery here

—Funeral Services—

Mrs. Margaret E. Dickerson—Thursday 2 p m., M N Gunder and Sons funeral home, burial Forest Glen Memorial park Friends may call at the funeral home.

Mrs. Margaret E. Lee—Thursday 10 a. m., Snyder funeral home, Galion, Rev Norman Somerville, burial Greenwod cemetery, Zanesville. Friends may call at the funeral home.

Mrs. Ada L. Crissinger—Thursday 2 p. m., Volk funeral home, Galion, Rev. Paul Walter, burial Fairview cemetery, Galion

Friends may call at the Crissinger home, Galion, until 10 a m Thursday

Paul B. Ebert—Thursday 2 p m., Wise funeral home, Bucyrus, Rev Mahlon Wenger, burial Nevada cemetery Friends may call at the funeral home

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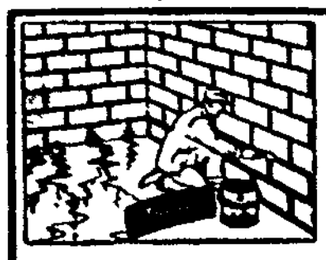

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Mrs. Ellen Cox

RICHWOOD — Mrs. Ellen Pritchard Cox 91, died in her home here at 7 50 p m Tuesday She had been in ill health two years

Born July 24, 1857 in Radnor township Delaware county, she was a daughter of William and Margaret Pritchard Nov 11, 1880, she was married in Radnor to Chester F Cox who died Oct. 4 this year She came to Richwood in 1902 and was a member of First Baptist church here and of the Ladies Aid society of the church

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs Jesse Thornhill of Parker, Ind., and grandchildren She was last of a family of 10 children

Funeral services will be conducted Friday at 2 p m in the Baptist church by Rev Robert Turner Burial will be at Radnor. The body was to be removed from the Hastings funeral home to the Cox home where friends may call until Friday noon.

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BUCYRUS—Services will be held at 2 p m. Friday at the Wise funeral home here for Fisher D Quaintance, 89, retired Bucyrus contractor and grocer. Mr Quain-

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MAN ACCUSED OF AUTO THEFT

Arrest Kentuckian Following Chase by Caledonia Car Owner.

Edward Grayhart, 25, of Kentucky, is being held in Marion county's jail pending hearing in municipal court tomorrow on a charge of driving an automobile without the owner's consent.

He was picked up by the sheriff's department yesterday afternoon in Caledonia after being caught in an attempt to get away with a 1941 Chevrolet sedan belonging to James C. Sharrock of that village, Sheriff Retterer reported.

He entered a plea of not guilty at arraignment this morning with hearing set for 10 a. m. tomorrow. Bond was fixed at $500 by Judge Hazen and Grayhart was returned to county jail.

Affidavit was signed by Sharrock who opportunely was within sight of his car when it was appropriated by Grayhart. Sharrock hailed a passing motorist, climbed in and gave chase, catching up with his car east of the village.

Grayhart was held in the Caledonia lockup until the sheriff's men arrived. He told officers he was a soldier enroute home from Camp Breckenridge, Ky. Although he was in uniform, he carried no orders, officers said.

He reported he had been hitchhiking east and had been let off at Caledonia. At about the same time, a filling station operator, Richard Wilson, whose station is located near the Lawrence farms east of Marion, reported to police that a man answering Grayhart's description had taken $5 from the station while the car in which he was riding had stopped there for gas. Driver of the car, Wilson reported, had tipped off Mrs. Wilson that the money had been taken while she was out at the pump. Wilson was not present at the time. Officers are investigating possible conection between the two incidents.

PROGRAM AT WALDO

Friday at 7:30 p. m., the Sunday school at St. Paul's Lutheran church at Waldo will give a Christmas program at the church. Included will be exercises and a candlelight procession. Following the program, a short Christmas sermon will be given by the pastor, Rev. S. C. Long.

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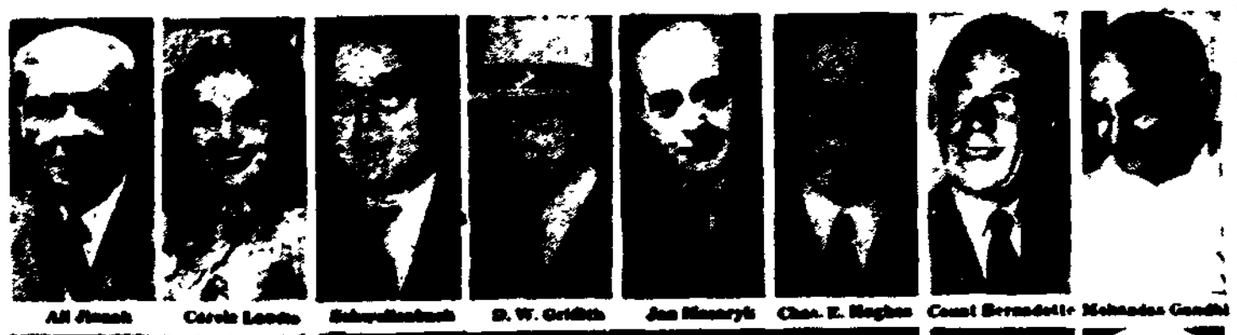

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SET MENTAL TEST IN CHILD SLAYING

CHICAGO Dec. 22—(AP)—A 31-year-old steel worker who in a statement to police said he was the rape slayer of Roberta Rinearson, 10 year old school girl, was to be given a mental test today.

State's Attorney John Boyle said that the man, Herlindo Perez Arias, would be taken to the Cook county behaviour clinic for an examination by Dr. William Haines.

Boyle said Arias was questioned for one hour and 15 minutes under the lie detector test last night and he told the same story he had related earlier yesterday to police and immigration authorities in nearby Hammond, Ind.—"I choked that little girl."

Boyle said "If Arias is competent, then the test shows he is lying. If he is mentally ill, then the test means nothing."

Thurman Cross, immigration inspector at Hammond, said Arias told "a very incoherent story." Cross said he "refused to answer some questions as to details and said he didn't know other details." Arias, a naturalized citizen of Mexican origin, had been turned over to immigration authorities after he was found wandering on a Hammond highway.

Police did not say how much of Arias' story they believed.

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5 TRAFFIC MISHAPS, 2 ARRESTS LISTED

Speeding and Reckless Driving Charges Filed.

Police report five accidents and two traffic arrests during the past 24 hours.

Oliver Eaton, 36, of 356 Owens street reported at 5:05 p. m. that his car rolled down a grade at 336 West Center street and struck a parked motorcycle. There was no damage, police report.

Cars driven by Robert Wollett, 21, of 755 South Prospect street, and Leroy D. Zachman Jr., 21, of near Marion, collided in the center of the alley intersection at the rear of the Midway restaurant at 12:55 a. m. Front ends of the cars were damaged, it is reported.

The car of John Paul Scott, 28, of 996 Bryant street, was struck while parked in the alley at the rear door of Turner Hardware by a hit-skip driver. Police report minor damage.

Cars driven by Joseph A. Wilmes, 22, of near Marion, and Patrick A. Schmelzer, 43, of 502 East Farming street, collided at North State and Patten streets at 10:16 a. m. No serious damage was reported.

A car driven by John Henry Blevices, 25, of Schoenlaub Court, and a truck driven by George E. Norris, 24, of Elgin Court, collided at a Church street alley intersection yesterday.

Hobart William Fish, 36, of Delaware was arrested at 8:01 p. m. yesterday on a charge of reckless driving. A $25 bond was posted for his appearance in municipal court on Dec. 24.

James Edward Cox, 33, of 744 North Main street was arrested at 1:55 a. m. today at North Main on a charge of speeding. A $25 bond was posted for his appearance in court today.

Tatooing in Saloon Not Allowed in N.J.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 22—(AP)—The thought of drinking and tattooing intermingled gives the state of New Jersey the shudders.

State alcoholic beverage control Commissioner Erwin B. Hock voiced this thought today. A tavernkeeper asked if he could allow a tattooist to set up business in the tavern. The principal customers were to be soldiers from Fort Dix.

Wrote Hock in his opinion:

"The tattooing business is wholly inappropriate and out of place in a tavern * * *. I shudder to think of tavern patrons waking up the 'morning after,' staring in amazement or regret not at pink elephants but at the sight of a dancing lady or battleship or army tank on their chest! I have equal shudders at what might happen if the tattooist, during slow hours, had been fortifying himself with a few drinks. Considering the public weal, it is my ruling that tavernkeepers shall not allow tattooing at taverns in New Jersey."

Pennsylvania Couple Die in Ohio Crash

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Dec. 21—(AP)—A Pennsylvania couple, enroute to Flint, Mich., was fatally injured last midnight in a two-car collision.

Charles Christy, 27, of Dravosburg, died at 2 a. m. today in a Youngstown hospital, and his wife, Virginia, 21, died about 10 minutes later. Lester Jones, 34, of North Jackson who, police say, was in the other car, is in poor condition with possible skull and arm fractures and internal injuries.

Losses on farms from fire are estimated at $99 millions annually.

Hal Roach, Old Comedy Master, Moves To Video

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 22—(AP)—Television—the baby whose bounces have been followed by many worried Hollywood eyes, is getting ready to take bigger steps.

Hal Roach, for more than 30 years a producer of motion picture comedies, today begins the first of a series of television productions. And from now on, says Roach, all his work will go into the television field.

If as video insiders say, films are the lifeblood of the new industry, Roach's entry into the field might be regarded as a major transfusion.

And producers already in the hectic field are inclined to welcome the old comic master openly. Despite the dozens of small video production companies which have mushroomed up here in this talent mecca, there seems to be plenty of room for competition.

As Jerry Fairbanks, who has a video producing contract with NBC, puts it:

"We feel we are pioneering an industry that will eventually be many times larger than the movies. The time is not far off when films will provide at least 50 per cent of all television programs."

Fairbanks and other major video producers claim too that the break with the movies—reshowing old westerns and other films on television—is not far distant. Production costs are averaging nearly $10,000 per half-hour program so far, but the television producers say they're determined to make good original shows for the fireside trade.

SALEM CHURCH PAGEANT

"Angels of Christmas," a pageant, will be included in a Christmas program of the Salem Church of God on the Gracely pike, west of Marion, Thursday at 7:30 p. m. A group of 15 will present the dramatization. Next Sunday, annual election of Sunday school officers will be held at the church.

B. & O. FURLOUGHS

WILLARD, O., Dec. 22—(AP)—Because of a slump in freight business, Baltimore & Ohio railroad department officials here received notice to furlough 10 per cent of their clerical workers this week. Recently 30 shop men and several firemen were laid off.

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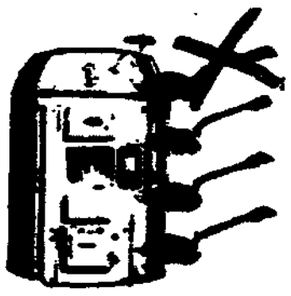
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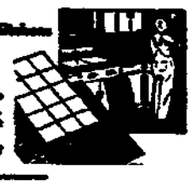
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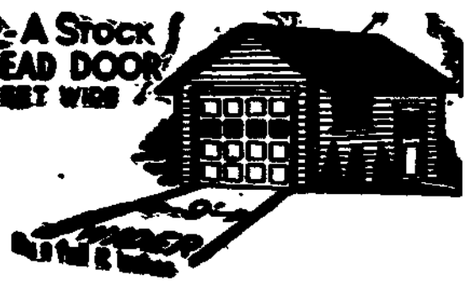
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CHIANG BACKS NEW CABINET

Gives Go Ahead Signal, But Prospects for Peace Are Dim.

NANKING, Dec. 22—(AP)—Chiang Kai-shek gave the go ahead today to a new cabinet committed to an "honorable peace." But prospects for peace in China are dim.

Communist armies to the north ambled toward the Yangtze. Chiang's troops were in southward retreat. All of North China and the area of east central China north of the Yangtze appeared doomed. Jumpy Nanking residents fretted.

Approves Cabinet

In this dark picture, Chiang approved a cabinet selected by Premier Sun Fo. The fact the cabinet was approve by Chiang was significant. Observers felt Chiang showed by this act that he was still boss of the nationalist government and was not about to quit.

Sun announced Nationalist China would fight on until it could secure an honorable peace. Then he said there would be no surrender to the Communists. Observers felt some sort of a deal might be offered the Reds. Others felt the Communists would not want to make peace with a government headed by Chiang.

With the situation to the north crumbling fast, there was a possibility that the new cabinet may have to take to its heels soon.

Yangtze Next Stand

The next major Nationalist stand is expected to be at the Yangtze. Just what Chiang can throw at the Communists here in the way of military strength has not been shown.

FOOT LEGISLATION

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—(INS)—Rhode Island has become the third state to adopt legislation requiring medical examination of the feet of school children. According to the Council of State Governments, Massachusetts instituted the first law requiring foot examination of children in public schools in 1943 and California adopted similar legislation last year.

BEAUTIES ON BEACH. Three pretty mannequins sun themselves on beach at Perth, Australia. Left to right: June Mallett, Dawn Fraser and Nola Rose, "Miss Pacific 1948."

SLAYERS' APPEAL REJECTED BY COURT

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 22—(AP)—The Ohio supreme court today rejected the appeal of Harold A. Beach Jr., of Cleveland, from his first degree murder conviction and set Feb. 2 for his electrocution in Ohio penitentiary.

The execution date was the same as set by the appellate court which upheld lower courts in sentencing him for the knife-slaying of eight-year-old Sheila Ann Tuley.

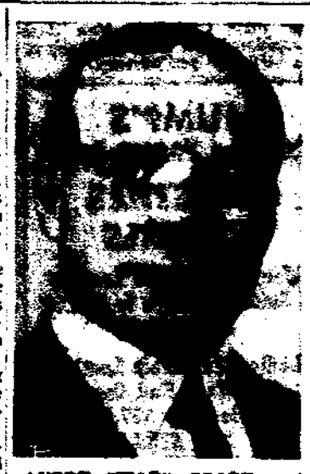
The high court in dismissing Beach's appeal said no debatable constitutional question was involved.

Beach pleaded innocent by reason of insanity to the Cleveland slaying. Sheila Ann was found dead of knife wounds on the porch of a neighbor's home last Jan. 1. She had been sent to a store by her father when Beach lured her into an alley and knifed her when the child resisted his advances.

Counsel for Beach said he was psychopath—emotionally unstable—and had not received a fair trial.

Beach, 23, was arrested in Baltimore 12 days after Sheila Ann's body was found. He gave police both oral and written confessions.

Beach's counsel contended Baltimore police failed to advise him that he had the right to remain silent when confessions were obtained. Officers knew, counsel contended, that Beach had been in an institution for male defective delinquents at Napanock, N. Y. They failed to treat him as a mentally defective person, however, counsel said.



AVERT "WAR" SCARE. A "mistaken intelligence estimate, prepared by a departmental (Armed Forces) intelligence agency," might well have caused President Truman to call for mobilization, says a report by Ferdinand Eberstadt (above) chairman of the Hoover commission's national security section, according to Washington reports. Eberstadt says the military structure is sound but "is not yet" working well." The intelligence estimate said an immediate military move was afoot abroad, rather than (merely) an intensification of the cold war.

KILLED IN CRASH

WARREN, O., Dec. 22—(AP)—Injuries suffered in a two-car crash on Summit street bridge Monday night caused the death in St. Joseph's hospital yesterday of Edward Seabrook, 58.

WATER BILLS "PAID"

DOVER, O., Dec. 22—(AP)—This city's 3,300 water bill recipients will get their first-quarter bills in 1949 with a "paid-in-full" stamp across them, city council has decided. The bills will total an estimated $12,000.

STEELWORKERS LOSE PICKETING APPEAL

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 22—(AP)—A CIO Steelworkers Union today lost its attempt to carry a picketing injunction violation case to the Ohio supreme court.

The high court refused to review lower court decisions that unionists violated a temporary restraining order issued at the request of Lake City Malleable, Inc., Ashtabula, Sept. 17, 1947.

Ashtabula county common pleas court on Oct. 21 found 11 members of the United Steelworkers Union guilty of violating the picketing injunction. Similar charges against several other unionists were dismissed.

The company charged the union violated an agreement and caused a work stoppage Aug. 21. A strike vote carried Aug. 25 and picketing followed. The firm said threats were used to prevent delivery of goods to the plant and the court action followed. The appellate court upheld the common pleas court decisions.

The Cleveland branch of the guild of St. Barnabas for Nurses lost its appeal for exemption from taxes. The levy was made by the Cuyahoga county and auditor in 1946 and upheld by the state board of tax appeals.

The high court held that where premises of a non-profit charitable organization are used for low-rent housing accommodations for nurses and others, the property was not exempt from tax. The branch of the guild previously had been tax exempt on ground it was used exclusively for charitable purposes.

Son Encourages Dad To Finish Education

BALTIMORE — (UP) — Not all fathers are saddled with the task of helping Junior with his homework. Sometimes it works both ways.

At least it does at the veterans' institute in Baltimore where Donald Mussachio Sr., and Donald Mussachio Jr., are completing their educations together.

The younger Mussachio enrolled at the institute to complete his high school education, which was interrupted by World War II. His father's education also was interrupted. The elder Mussachio entered the service during World War I after completing two years at Mount Vernon College in Baltimore.

Mussachio, now manager of the Abbey Hotel, said it was his son's rapid progress which gave him the idea of completing his own education.

Mussachio said he and his son will go to college together after completing their courses at the veterans' institute.

Sees Nebraska's Ducks Going Way of Indian

LINCOLN, Neb. — (UP) — The trouble with ducks, according to Lloyd Vance of the Nebraska game department, is nobody knows enough about them.

Vance wants to know where the birds are going, where they've been and why they left in the first place. There are fewer in Nebraska now than when the Indians roamed the plains, he said, and civilization is to blame. Farming, draining and grazing have scared the fowl away, Vance said.

Since civilization apparently is here to stay, Vance thought it likely the duck eventually will go the way of the dodo. But don't sell your shotgun. He adds "not in our time."

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HORSE TRUCK IN BERLIN. Dobbin pulls truck on a Berlin street. Horses are scarce in German city mostly because hay is, too. Gasoline for private cars is scarcer.

TOJO

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most of them long ago lost their military bearing.

In the closing days of the trial only Tojo and Muto among the seven condemned held to their military rigidity of manner.

Matsui, the Nanking commander, shook from palsy. General Kimura, who has been described as "closest to Tojo" in the last days in prison, walked with a stoop.

Itagaki, once the sardonic string puller of Manchuria, hunched. Dohihara, the master plotter, seemed to shrivel.

Oldest Was 70

Hirota, the former premier and the only civilian among the condemned, had become a gnarled old man. At 70, he was the oldest to die.

These characteristics probably dominated the final bearing of the men marching to the gallows.

Newspapermen kept a chilly vigil outside the gates of Sugamo, which is a few miles from downtown Tokyo.

Alert young American soldiers guarded the gates.

Tokyo slept and the majority of the people will not know about the executions until tomorrow morning.

The people were in the dark too when the warlords launched the attack on Pearl Harbor on Dec. 7, 1941, the act which lost an empire and led to the dock and the gallows.

When that attack went off, only a few highranking Japanese hunched in their office at night knew what was happening. The people did not learn of it until the next morning.

Tried Suicide

Gen. MacArthur, Supreme Allied Commander for the occupation of Japan, had ordered Tojo arrested after Japan's surrender and brought to headquarters for questioning, along with 10 members of his cabinet who helped him instigate the Pearl Harbor attack which started the war in the Pacific.

Tojo apparently thought he was to face trial as a war criminal and shot himself with a .32 caliber automatic pistol. He wore his full uniform of a general with six rows of ribbons on the tunic. Explaining why he had not sought death by the traditional hara-kiri method, he was quoted by Domei, the Japanese news agency as saying:

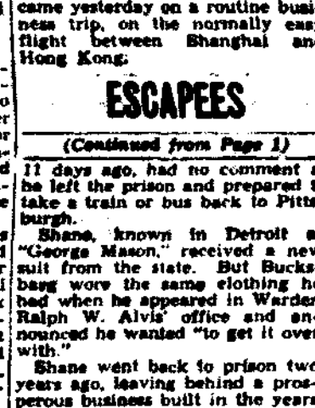
"I wanted to kill myself at one stroke. I first thought of using my sword to kill myself, but instead I used the revolver for fear I might fail and survive."

In his first interview after the attempt at self-destruction, the shaven-headed former premier said he had planned to kill himself for a long time and when he saw American officers outside his home he "knew the time had come." The officers, hearing a shot, broke down two doors and found him on the floor, wounded near the heart.

The medical skill of American doctors was utilized to save this most prized prisoner in the Pacific. Tojo lived because American blood, donated by a sergeant who was a veteran of New Guinea and the Philippines, flowed in his veins—the same kind of blood he had caused to be spilled across the Pacific as war premier. The sergeant said he donated the blood so that Tojo might "get his just dues and suffer for the 17 months he made me spend in New Guinea."

There were indications that Tojo's recovery was highly displeasing to those Japanese who blamed him for the war that backfired with such disaster to their country. "The general masses clamored for his death," declared the Tokyo newspaper Mainichi.

During most of America's participation in the war Tojo was the personification of the Japanese enemy, his name forever linked with Pearl Harbor and the "day that will live in infamy." He was in the forefront while Emperor Hirohito remained in the shadows.



QUENTIN ROOSEVELT

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Body of Roosevelt Still In Wreckage of Plane

HONG KONG, Dec. 22—Quentin Roosevelt's body was believed to be one of four still in the ashes of a Chinese Air Transport that crashed, killing 35 persons yesterday on Basalt Island, seven miles from here.

He was a grandson of President Theodore Roosevelt.

Fourteen bodies, all mangled beyond recognition, have been recovered.

The 29-year-old Roosevelt had brushed with danger many times before—as an Army captain in World War II and in hazardous airlift missions to isolated Chinese Nationalist troops. But his death came yesterday on a routine business trip, on the normally easy flight between Shanghai and Hong Kong.

ESCAPEES

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11 days ago, had no comment as he left the prison and prepared to take a train or bus back to Pittsburgh.

Shane, known in Detroit as "George Mason," received a new suit from the state. But Bucksbang wore the same clothing he had when he appeared in Warden Ralph W. Alvis' office and announced he wanted "to get it over with."

Shane went back to prison two years ago, leaving behind a prosperous business built in the years following his escape from London prison farm in 1935. He was sentenced from Cuyahoga county in 1932 to serve a one-to-20-year term for possession of burglary tools.

Bucksbarg escaped from a trusty job at Columbus state hospital in 1922. He was serving a one-to-seven-year sentence for theft of $50 worth of brass.

Bucksbarg was known as W. H. Dern in Pittsburgh.

NEW CARD GAME OFFERED TO STALIN

TROY, N. Y.—(UP)—C. Carlton Carroll, a Troy business man, has sent a deck of cards he's invented to Premier Joseph Stalin as an object lesson in international good will.

The cards, which add a new fourth dimension to the ordinary pack of playing cards, is the only universal game pack devised in more than 1,300 years, Carroll claims.

He is more interested, however, in the object lesson his cards point up in the current world situation.

The new pack, called Tetra-domino Playing Quads, is an ingenious combination of playing cards and dominos, which blend with remarkable results.

In the ordinary deck, the player must cope with three dimensions: The quantity or number of the cards, the value of the individual cards and the suit. With Carroll's deck, the dominos add another dimension—the position of the cards with relation to each other as they are placed. It is that feature which the inventor calls to Stalin's attention:

"In the ordinary pack," Carroll says, "each card is too stiff and independent of its fellows. A king is a king and you've usually got to have an ace to beat it.

"With the domino idea added," Carroll continues, "every card has an elastic value depending on how it matches up with its colleagues."

"The old deck is decidedly isolationist," Carroll thinks. "Mine is just the opposite. You might even call it a reflection of the one world idea, or the United Nations, where nations will grow in stature the better they match up with their fellows."

"If you get what I mean," Carroll adds, "that's the lesson I think Stalin needs to learn."

The new deck is not being manufactured commercially. Carroll, who worked six years to perfect it, made a private distribution of a 1,000-pack first edition. Among those on the mailing list were President Truman, Gov. Thomas E. Dewey, Ernest Bevin and other leaders.

Bad Luck Ranch Now U.S. Bird Sanctuary

ALAMO, Tex. (UP)—The old Santa Ana ranch, reportedly jinxed, is now a bird refuge, maintained by the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

According to legend, it once was sold for a fiddle and a new suit of clothes.

Until Uncle Sam took it over in 1943, it brought only bad luck to its owners.

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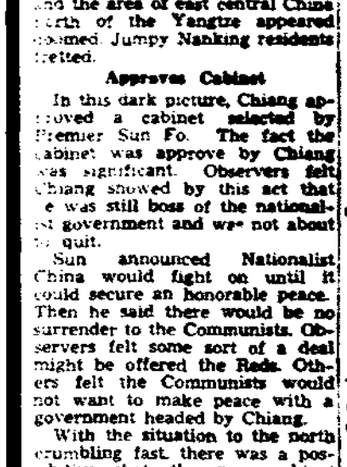

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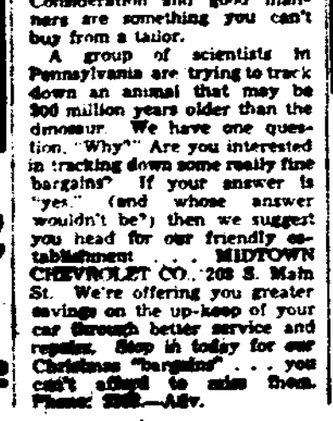

Emily Post claims that people are getting awfully rude because they don't dress formally for dinner every night. Now, when it comes to etiquette, Mrs. Post knows all the rules from the word "Go", but we question whether putting a white tie and tails on a man is going to turn him into Lord Chesterfield. In fact there are a lot of pretty fine gentlemen who never got into a dinner jacket, except to attend a Halloween party. And we doubt if it would help the manners or nerves of a mother of six if she dressed "formal" to serve the hash. Consideration and good manners are something you can't buy from a tailor.

A group of scientists in Pennsylvania are trying to track down an animal that may be 300 million years older than the dinosaur. We have one question, "Why?" Are you interested in tracking down some really fine bargains? If your answer is "yes" (and whose answer wouldn't be") then we suggest you head for our friendly establishment . . . MIDTOWN CHEVROLET CO., 208 S. Main St. We're offering you greater savings on the up-keep of your car through better service and repairs. Stop in today for our Christmas "bargains" . . . you can't afford to miss them. Phone 2808.—Adv.

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Equipment for Blood Bank Bought By Woman's Hospital Board

Soon to be installed in the Marion City hospital is the Jewett Blood Bank refrigerator, one of two important pieces of equipment purchased recently by the Woman's Board of the Marion City hospital, it was announced today by James A. Mautz, business supervisor at the hospital. Already on order is a Bryan-Gerry Pipette Rotor, a mechanical rotor for use in blood cell count

In Red Cross Program

The blood bank refrigerator Mr. Mautz explains is to be used in connection with the community blood program sponsored by the American Red Cross Under this program, blood will be drawn from volunteers periodically throughout the year After drawing it will be typed in the Red Cross laboratory in Columbus and returned to Marion City hospital for the use of hospital patients without charge Human blood requires ideal storage and refrigeration facilities and these will be provided through the generous donation of the Woman's Hospital board This special refrigerator is designed specifically for blood. It has a safety feature which sounds an alarm when the temperature varies more than two degrees from the ideal of 37 degrees Fahrennent. It also has revolving shelves which facilitate storage of blood by types

The pipette rotor is used in the cross matching and test of blood which must be done prior to the transfusion of blood into the veins of the patient Prior to the installation of this machine the rotating of blood in the pipettes has been done by hand

With these two purchases, totaling $750, the Woman's Hospital board has added to their previous purchase of special equipment for the hospital laboratory which has made it one of the most completely equipped hospital laboratories in central Ohio. Among their previous donations to the laboratory are an electrocardograph machine, a test tube shaker, a microscope, a water bath and other similar items. Their overall donations to the hospital include oxygen machines, infant incubators, surgical instruments, and water sterilizers

Funds for the many purchases of equipment for the hospital made by the board come principally through two benefits sponsored each year by the members, the annual holiday dance and the sale of tickets for the Little Grand Circuit races.

This year's dance, the twentieth annual ball, will be held Tuesday night, Dec. 28, at the Hy-Way Rollarena.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY

RAINBRIDGE COLBY, born Dec. 22, 1880, in St. Louis, Mo. He was graduated from Williams college in 1890 and from Columbia Law school in '92. He served as a Republican legislator, bolted with Theodore Roosevelt, then became Woodrow Wilson's last secretary of state. He campaigned for FDR in 1932, but backed Alf Landon in 1936. As a lawyer he handled Mark Twain's litigation and has championed the free press.

WOMEN OF MOOSE MEET

Mrs. Martha Herrod, Moosehaven chairman, was in charge of a meeting of Marion chapter, No. 448, Women of the Moose, Tuesday night. Solos were sung by Mrs. Lillian Cook and Mrs. Isabel Kyle, accompanied by Mrs. Florence Hamilton. During a social hour Miss Catherine Van Atta was presented a cake in honor of her birthday anniversary.

FORECAST HIGH U.S. SPRING PIG CROP

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22—(AP)—The agriculture department yesterday forecast that next spring's pig crop will be 10 per cent larger than the 1948 spring crop.

If this prediction is borne out, the supply of pork a year from now would be roughly 10 per cent larger than at present.

Spring pigs are fattened during the summer and are marketed the following fall and winer.

The indicated increase is seven per cent smaller than the goal Secretary of Agriculture Brannan had recommended in a move to enlarge meat supplies and to bring about lower prices.

The spring crop was forecast at about 56,500,000 head.

This compares with the 1948 spring crop of 51,286,000 and with a 1937-46 spring crop average of 52,968,000.

At the same time, the department reported the 1948 fall crop at 33,995,000 head. This compared with the department goal of 34,400,000 head.

The 1947 fall crop totaled 31,345,000 and the 1937-46 fall crop averaged 33,954,000.

Bucyrian Bound Over In Fatal Traffic Mishap

Special to The Star

BUCYRUS, Dec. 22 — Charles Blair Jr., 19, Bucyrus, was held to the Crawford county grand jury here today. His arrest was an outgrowth of a fatal accident between a truck driven by Blair and an automobile driven by Lowell Gray Jr., 19, Crawford county farmer.

Young Gray was killed instantly Dec. 7 when his car collided in Brokensword, north of here with Blair's stone-loaded truck. At the time of the accident Blair told authorities that his brakes failed to hold when he attempted to stop at the road intersection where the accident occurred.

4,623 Ohio Veterans Mailed Bonus Checks

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 21—(AP)—The Christmas mails yesterday carried 4,623 Ohio bonus checks to veterans and next of kin.

Bonus Director Chester W. Goble said the checks totaled $1,330,771.72.

"Our staff has been trying to pay all eligible claims possible before Christmas," Goble said.

The World War II compensation fund has mailed 632,537 checks for $195,458,758 to living veterans and next of kin of deceased Ohio veterans since April 28.

Since the end of September, Goble said, the only claims left to be paid have been current applications and claims for which additional information was needed before payment can legally be made.

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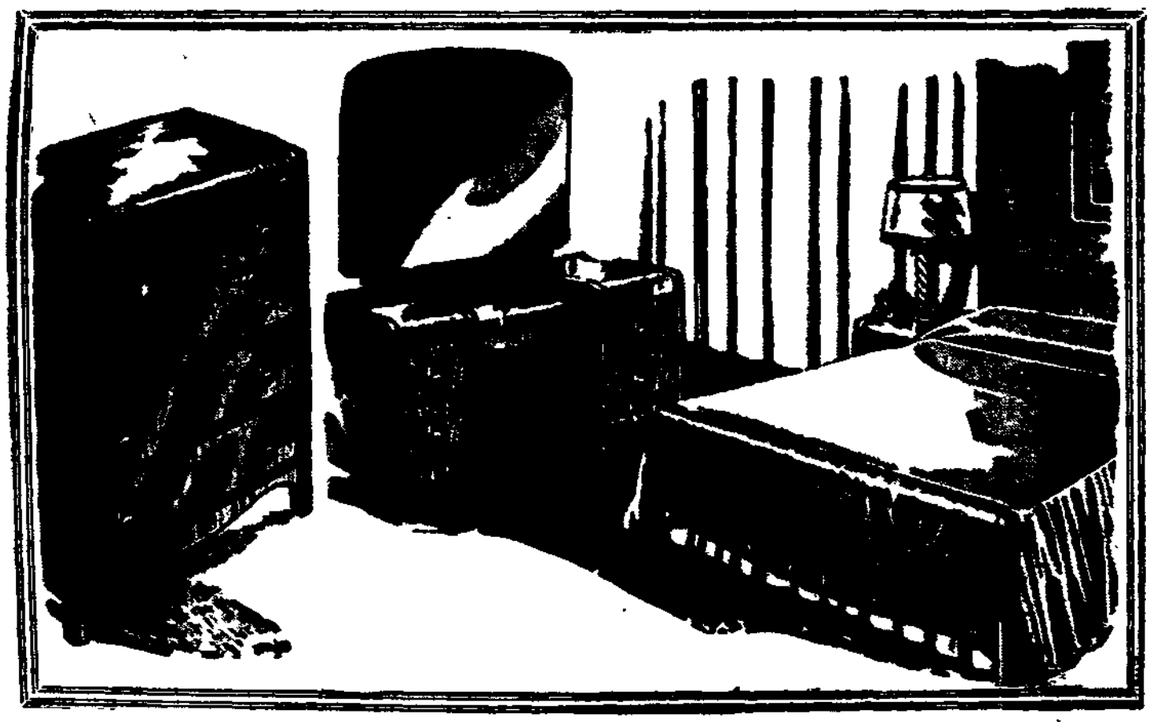

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QUARTET SINGS IN YOUTH RALLY

Steelworkers' Group on Program at Emmanuel Baptist Church.

The month's rally of the Marion Youth for Christ was held Saturday night at Emmanuel Baptist church.

The program was opened with prayer by Rev. Wallace Ellis of West Jackson. Group singing was led by Dr. C. E. Hershey director of the Marion Youth for Christ.

The Steelworkers Quartet of Youngstown were guest musicians and they also brought the message of the evening. Ralph Gustason, Bob Fox, Jim Douglas, Earl Welsh and 14-year-old Dick Filmer pianist, composed the group. With the exception of Dick Filmer, the members of the quartet are employed in the steel mills of Youngstown. During the evening they sang "I Have a New Name Written Down in Glory," "Tell Me More of Jesus and Grace Greater Than Our Sin."

Instrumental music was provided by Richard Blair, who played the electric guitar. He played "In the Garden" and "Whispering Hope."

Misses Helen Cozma and Joanne Hough presided at the pianos.

Testimony time featured three high school students, Maxine Sanderson, Joanne Miller and Harold Rader, who told of what Christ meant to them.

The Steelworkers showed a series of slides on Evolution—Theory or Fact. The slides brought out the fact that "man has not been continually evolving better and better but has the same amount of intelligence as did Adam." It was pointed out that "all the unbeliever has to look forward to is war, fear, crime and disease."

Dr. Hershey announced that the January meeting will be the anniversary rally of the Marion Youth for Christ. This meeting will be held on Saturday, Jan. 29 at the Emmanuel Baptist church. The prizes in the essay contest will be awarded at the January meeting.

PROGRAM AT MORRAL

Annual Christmas program of the Morral Methodist church will be held Thursday at 8 p. m. with readings by children of the primary and junior departments, special music and a playlet, "The Star of Promise." First part of the program will be directed by Mrs. W. W. Morral. Nearly 40 adults, young people and children will take part in the play for which Mrs. Harvey Clarke will be reader.

AT RALLY: Attending a "peace rally" in New York are (l. to r.) Henry Wallace, recent Progressive party candidate for President; the Very Rev. Dr. Hewlett Johnson, "Red dean" of Canterbury; and the Rev. William Howard Melish, chairman of the American Council of American-Soviet Friendship. Wallace and Dr. Johnson addressed the meeting, staged by the Council listed by Justice Department as subversive. (AP International)

Love's Perilous Path

By ADELE GARRISON

Mary lifted her head alertly at her young brother's pronouncement. Then her eyes met mine, and held them for an instant before they shifted to Roderick. I knew that she was surreptitiously studying him as I was watching Junior, and that the same fearsome questions were in both of our hearts. What was wrong up at their school? Why had Roderick asked Mary for two hundred dollars? Why was Junior evasive in his answers to Dicky's apparently casual queries concerning Roderick? And, why was Roderick so carefully forestalling even casual references to their school life? Was he afraid that he might let something slip?

That he had a secret, I was now firmly convinced. But a rush of common sense told me that there was absolutely nothing I could do about it. Dicky was planning to put the whole problem into the hands of his friend, a secret agent, who would travel up to the school and without betraying the boys would find out the truth. We were both convinced that a very real peril confronted them.

In a few more minutes, Katharine, fully equipped by Dicky with knowledge and authority, would go from the hotel in search of the man as deep as a well and as safe as a church, who was to go to the school and unearth the secret. The only thing I could do to help was to keep the boys from suspecting her errand.

As if my thought of my kinswoman had held telepathy, she came into the room from the bedroom, with Dicky walking slowly beside her.

"This is a special dispensation," she said. "My patient is so much better that he is going to be allowed up for a much longer period of time than before."

"Oh, Boy!" Faith gurgled. Then she sidled up to Katharine.

'Aunt Katharine,' she said pleadingly, "I'm going to try not to tire my Daddy out with asking questions."

Katharine looked at her.

"How would you like to take my place as nurse for your daddy for an hour or two?" she asked.

Faith's face was rapturous, her eyes starry, while her voice was a delighted gurgle.

"I'd rather have that than go to Heaven," she said, and I saw Dicky give a superstitutious little shiver.

"You'd better choose this, darling," he told her, "for you won't be going to Heaven until you're ninety."

Katharine forestalled a possible protest with decision.

"Then I'll tell you what you must do while I'm gone," she said, and the boys and Faith looked at her in genuine surprise.

"You mean you're going away from us?" Faith queried.

"I'll be the only nurse at the house party," Katharine went on, "and the drug store is miles away. So, I have to go out and buy a lot of supplies, and I can't let anybody else pick them out."

(Continued tomorrow)

DON'T TASTE RAW PORK, DOCTOR WARNS

Health Aide Points to Danger of Trichinosis.

"Don't taste that raw sausage," Dr. N. Safritt, Marion county health commissioner warned Marion county farm folk today.

The dread, and often fatal disease trichinosis which has stricken many Ohio farmers this year was caused in most cases by tasting raw sausage to determine if it was properly seasoned, Dr. Safritt said. Most cases began when sausage makers tasted their sausage mixture just before cooking it, the health commissioner added.

"Hog killing time is here. Farmers are beginning to butcher hogs for family use. The dangers of eating raw pork or pork that has not been well cooked are most prevalent at this time. Always see that pork is well cooked and if you must season sausage to your taste, do the seasoning after the meat is well cooked, never while it is raw." Dr. Safritt warned. "It is better to be safe than sorry for dead men have no appetite, even for fresh country sausage," the health commissioner concluded.

GROTTO CHILDREN'S PARTY SET FOR THURSDAY NIGHT

Plans are being made for a children's party to be held by Raiga Grotto at 7:30 o'clock Thursday night at the Masonic temple. Guests will include children of the Marion County children's home and children of the members. The party also is open to all Masons and their families.

There will be a program of music and other entertainment with E. K. Smith acting as master of ceremonies. Refreshments will be served. The children from the home will be transported to and from the party by the Marion Rapid Transit Co.

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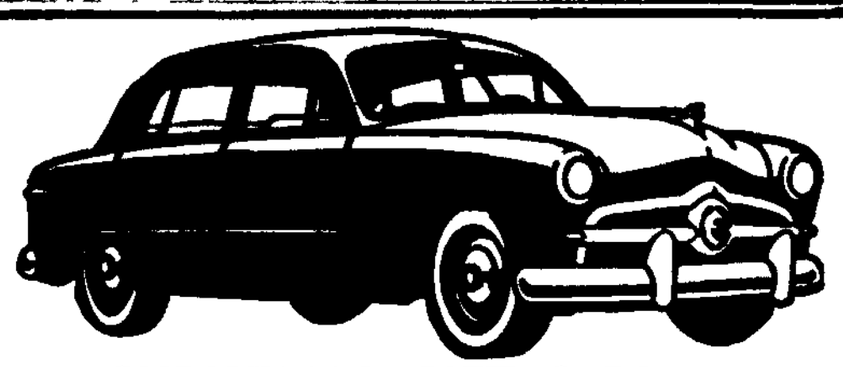

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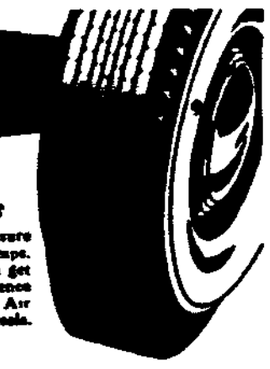

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BIDS RECEIVED ON HIGHWAY PROJECTS

Crawford, Wyandot, Delaware Counties Included.

The state highway department opened bids yesterday on a program totaling $9,000,000 worth of road construction contracts which included projects for three county districts. The Associated Press reported.

The state's bids submitted together with state estimates, follow:

Crawford and Wyandot counties—Ohio Road Improvement Co. of Columbus, $961,156 to grade, drain and pave 10.042 miles of U. S. route 30-N in Tod, Crane and Eden townships; estimate, $965,500.

Delaware county: Plumley Excavation and Contracting Co. of Marion, $19,770 to grade and construct slope protection on 0.211 mile of state route 229 in Marlborough township; estimate, $28,000.

Crawford county: Ohio Road Improvement Co. of Columbus, $33,797 to widen and resurface 1.270 miles of state route 4 in Bucyrus township estimate, $33,960.

URANIUM FIND. France's announcement of discovery of uranium deposit in mountainous Aveyron area near Rodez focuses attention on that nation's atomic energy pile, in Fort de Chatillon, a chateau-like establishment outside Paris. This is the dungeon-like "study room" for radium, beryllium and gluminum. Its director is Frederic Joliot-Curie, a Communist and France's leading physicist.

Your Good Health

By DR. HERMAN N. BUNDESEN

Inflamed Blood Clot in a Vein.

The formation of an inflamed blood clot in a vein is known as thrombophlebitis. Such a condition may develop at almost any age, but is most common in those past sixty.

The symptoms differ, depending on whether or not the affected person is up and about or confined to bed. This condition occurs most often in veins of the leg. When it occurs in an active person, there may be some degree of lameness. There is pain in the calf of the leg when walking, and some swelling of the ankle. If the condition is mild, it may clear up with a few days' rest in bed, but the symptoms may recur when the legs are used.

When a blood clot forms following an operation and while the patient is still in bed, there may be less severe symptoms. However, there may be pain in the calf of the leg, running from mild soreness to real aching, and also some swelling of the ankle and lower leg.

By injecting certain substances into a vein, an X-ray plate may be taken which will show the veins clearly. This is known as venography, and often may be used in making an early diagnosis of thrombophlebitis.

One of the dangers of thrombophlebitis is that a bit of a clot may break off and be carried to the brain or lungs, where it will cause serious damage.

Treatment for the condition depends upon whether or not the blood clot is attached to the wall of the vein. If it is not attached, there is more danger of a bit of the clot breaking off and being carried to other parts of the body. In such instances, it may be necessary to tie off the vein above the clot.

In the milder, less dangerous cases, the treatment may consist of rest in bed, X-ray, and the giving of certain substances which slow down clotting of the blood. These substances are heparin and dicoumarol. In any event, the treatment will depend upon the location of the condition, its extent, and how long the clot has been present.

Whenever aching in the calf of the legs occurs, particularly in older persons, a careful study by the physician should be made at once to determine whether or not thrombophlebitis has developed; then proper treatment may be promptly carried out.

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Questions and Answers

F.N.: What causes a coating on the tongue?

Answer: A coated tongue sometimes is caused by constipation, while in many cases no cause for it can be discovered.

Bucyrus Children Greet Santa in City Square

Special to The Star

BUCYRUS — Several hundred Bucyrus children were on Washington square here Monday night for the arrival of Santa Claus who distributed candies and fruits to the children.

Santa made a trip to Bucyrus in a red jeep. His visit was sponsored by the Bucyrus Kiwanis club. Music was furnished by the Bucyrus High School band and the Bucyrus Male Chorus, the latter group also appearing at the Crawford County Children's Home in Galion.

Members of Beta Sigma Phi sorority here also were busy Monday night distributing gifts to 106 needy Bucyrus school children. Members dispensed with their annual Christmas gift exchange each member contributing $1 to purchase presents for the children. The sorority also added $25 to the fund from its treasury.

TWO GROUPS SING AT CHILDREN'S HOME

Girl Scouts, Serenaders Heard at Nativity Scene.

Members of Girl Scout Troop 45 of Central Junior High school and The Serenaders, directed by L. G. Jones, two Marion choral groups, were heard in programs of Christmas music at the Marion County Children's Home last night as part of the home's observance of the yuletide season.

This was the second in a series of programs by various Marion groups to be given at the home this week.

Many people in cars stopped at the home during the evening to hear portions of the program and to view the Nativity scene erected on the law, while some people remained for the entire program of music.

One change has been made in the program originally planned for the week, Mac D. Metz, superintendent of the home, announced today. No music program will be given Thursday night as the children will be away from the Home attending a Christmas party given in their honor by Kadgar Grotto. The two groups scheduled to sing that night, the First Evangelical United Brethren church choir and the Edison Junior High school choir, will sing for the children at the home on future dates.

Tonight the program will be by Girl Scout Troop 6, sponsored by Oak Street school PTA, at 7:30, and the Intermediate choir of Epworth Methodist church at 8.

Although the Rhine is less than half as long as the Danube it has, in modern times, carried at least twice the volume of commerce.

Symphony Orchestra Director Is Stricken

CANTON, O., Dec. 22—(AP)—German-born Richard W. Oppenheim, 62, once a European concert violinist and for the last 12 years director of the Canton symphony orchestra, died last night.

Oppenheim missed rehearsal Sunday afternoon, and members of his orchestra, investigating, found him slumped unconscious in a chair in his studio. He died in Aultman hospital, apparently of a stroke, without regaining consciousness.

Born in Aachen, Germany, Oppenheim was graduated from the Conservatory of Music of Brussels, Belgium and toured Europe as a concert violinist before coming to America. He served with the U. S. Army in World War I. A sister and brother in England survive.

Before becoming this city's first and only symphony orchestra director Oppenheim directed a symphony orchestra in neighboring Alliance and headed the Mount Union college conservatory of music there. He also was conductor of a junior symphony orchestra here.

Grand Prairie PTA Gives Yule Program

Grand Prairie PTA met Friday night at the school for a program featuring Christmas songs and plays by children of the school, directed by the teachers. Mrs. Walter Lyon was program chairman. Elder Daily Hite opened the meeting with prayer. Mrs. Vern Lucas was in charge of business. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Sam Poos, Mrs. J. B. Snyder, and Mrs. Reedy Puraley.

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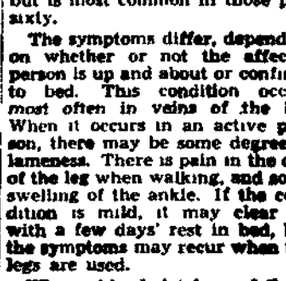

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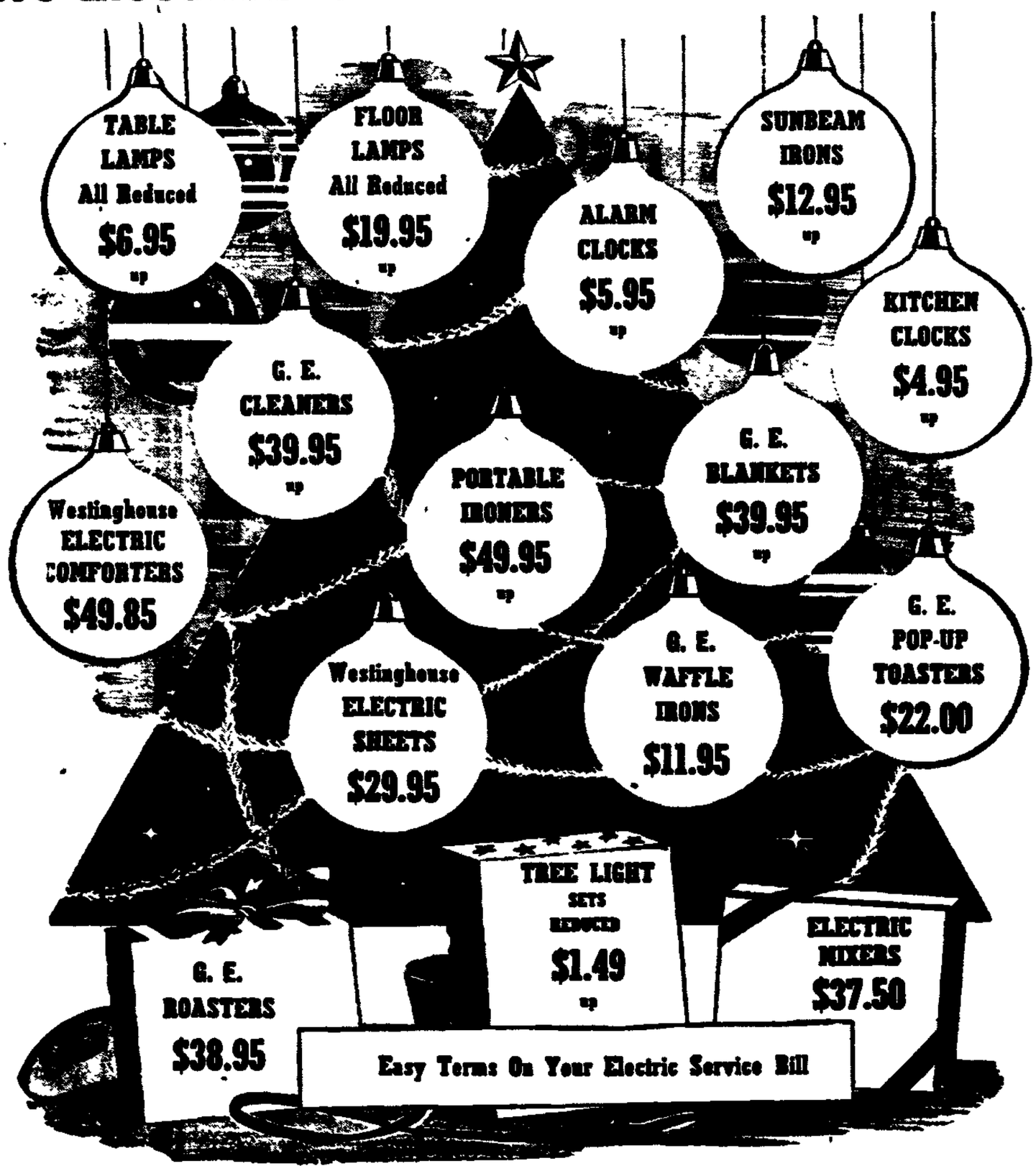
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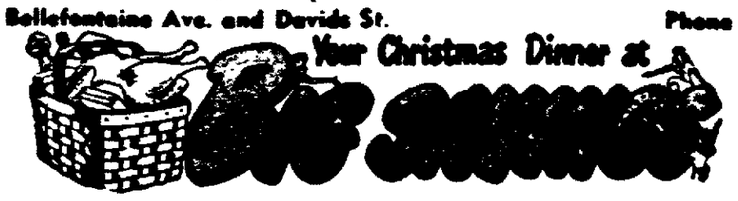

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New Year's Eve Buffet

OYSTER AND TOMATO CHOWDER . . . To start the Year.

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor

Want something a little different to start off New Year's dinner? Then serve the delicious oyster and tomato chowder pictured here. To give a holiday touch the dinnerware chosen for our table was a neutral gray, modern in design and the place doilies were of Irish linen in a rich deep green. Plenty of eye appeal to go along with the appetizing flavor!

Oyster and Tomato Chowder

Ingredients: ¼ pound bacon (finely cut), 1 medium sized onion (finely diced), 2 cups potatoes (cut in small cubes), 1 quart boiling water, ⅛ teaspoon thyme, ½ lemon (cut in very thin slices), 1 tablespoon salt, dash of freshly ground pepper, dash of cayenne, dash of tabasco, 3 eight-ounce cans tomato sauce, 2 dozen oysters (with liquid).

Method: Fry out bacon over low heat in large kettle until lightly browned. Add onion and saute slowly until soft but not brown. Add boiling water, thyme, lemon slices, salt, pepper, cayenne, tabasco. Cover. Simmer gently for 5 minutes. Add canned tomato sauce and the liquid from the oysters. Cover again and simmer over low heat until potatoes are soft — 6 to 8 minutes should be enough. Cut oysters into bits. Add to soup. Cover; simmer over very low heat about 4 minutes. Serve at once. Makes about 12 cups of soup.

If it's a New Year's Eve Buffet you have in mind you might like to use the following menu and recipe from "The Frozen Food Cook Book" by Jean I. Simpson and Demetria M. Taylor (Simon and Schuster, New York, $2.95). The cook book contains very conscientious recipe rules. Almost two years of research and testing was done in order to check every single detail, and every recipe was finally passed upon by a tasting panel for flavor, texture, appearance, and quality. You'll find this cook book wonderfully useful and enjoyable.

Curried Turkey

Melt: 3 tablespoons butter or margarine. 2 medium sized apples, diced. Add and cook until tender: ½ cup chopped onion, 1 medium carrot, sliced or cubed, ½ cup coarsely diced celery. Add and blend thoroughly: 1 teaspoon curry powder, 1½ tablespoons flour, ½ teaspoon ginger, ½ cup raisins, ½ teaspoon salt. Add slowly and cook until thickened, stirring 1½ cups turkey broth (or 2 chicken bouillon cubes dissolved in 1½ cups boiling water). Add and continue cooking until turkey is thoroughly heated: 2 cups coarsely diced cooked turkey meat, 1 tablespoon defrosted lemon juice. (If concentrated, dilute before using.) Serve on: Baking powder biscuits.

One of the best things about this buffet supper is that it can be prepared beforehand and there will be no last-minute flurries either for the hosts or the guests.

New Year's Eve Buffet

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Sugar Cured Chunk BACON . Lb. 49c

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Sugar Cured Jowl BACON . Lb. 34c
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LEAVES HOSPITAL

BUCYRUS — Mrs. Vernon Householder, 65, Nevada, was released from Bucyrus City hospital Monday, after receiving treatment for facial lacerations suffered Sunday when the automobile in which she was riding skidded and struck a tree near Nevada. Mrs. Householder was thrown against the windshield of the car, which was driven by her husband. He was uninjured.

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Items showing the wide areas of the world in which Huber machines are used appear in the current Christmas issue of The Huber News, a magazine published monthly by the Huber Mfg Co. and distributed to its employes.

In an article telling of a recent visit here by J. Dewert, assistant general manager of Chantier Naval and Industrial du Congo at Leopoldville, Huber distributors in the Belgian Congo, it is explained that Huber tandem and three-wheel rollers and the Huber maintainer are being used extensively in the Belgian Congo for road construction and maintenance work.

Displayed at Expositions

At a machinery exposition of the Houston, Texas, Associated General Contractors held in October, the first one ever to be held there, Huber machines were included in the exhibit by the Brennan Equipment Co., Huber distributors in Houston. A picture showing the Huber machines displayed accompanies an article in the magazine telling of the exposition.

Several Huber machines also were on display at another exposition in October, the New England Highway Exposition held in Boston. The machines formed a major part of the exhibit of Construction Equipment Co. of Boston, Huber distributor for Massachusetts.

The Netherlands East Indies government has purchased Huber tandem and three-wheel rollers with which thousands of miles of road repair and construction work is to be done. A recent visit was paid to the Huber plant here by Chris Ph van Helsdingen, engineer with the public works department of the Netherlands East Indies government.

A Huber machine, a 10-ton three-wheel roller, also aided recently in the construction of the new 180-mile Hermosillo to Nogales highway in Mexico. The new highway, opened recently, makes it possible to drive from Nogales to Mexico City.

Story About Hobbyist

Featured in an article on Huber hobbyists is Virgil Howard, foreman of Huber's roller assembly department, who spends several leisure hours each day working at his woodworking hobby. He produced high grade objects of wood in a workshop set up in the garage of his home in Mt. Gilead. He has installed kitchen cabinets in a number of homes and makes such pieces as lamp bases. Mr. Howard, a Huber employe for about eight years and roller assembly foreman five years, is married and has a son, Galen, who is a senior in the Mt. Gilead High school.

Calvary Christian

Service Guild Meets

Miss Marguerite Price was hostess for the Christmas meeting of the Christian Service Guild of Calvary Evangelical United Brethren church Thursday night, Dec. 16, at her home on Hane avenue. Serving as co-hostess was Miss Alice Zachman.

Plans were made to make a Christmas contribution to Miss Pearl Tuttle, a missionary in Central America, and articles of food were collected by the members for a German family the organization is aiding this year.

For the program, Miss Doris Brading presented a Christmas story, together with singing and playing of Chrisitmas carols, with Mrs. Raymond Feaver at the piano. Miss Mary Jane Zachman gave a short skit on the life and missionary work of Mr. and Mrs. George Theuer in China, and Mrs. Robert Brodbeck presented a vocal solo, "Cantique de Noel," accompanied by Miss Ruth Zachman. Special music was by Beverly Armbruster.

During the devotional period, Mrs. R. W. Faulkner told the story of the "Black Madonna" and Mrs. Donald Baker offered prayer. A Christmas gift exchange followed the meeting, and Miss Price was assisted in serving by her mother.

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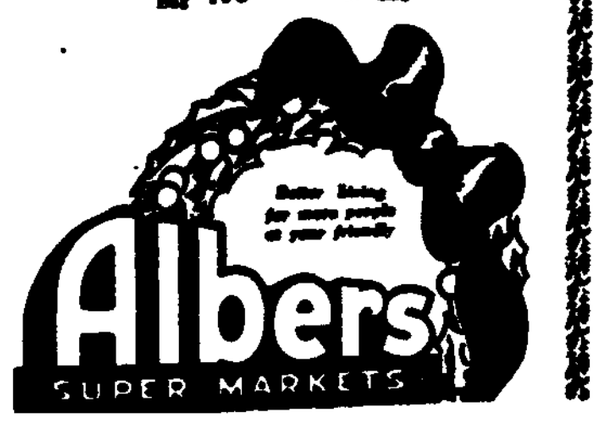

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Cream Style, White **LIBBY CORN** No 303 Tin **19c**

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BUCYRUS LUTHERANS PLAN PARISH HOUSE

Work at St. Paul's To Start in Spring.

Special to The Star

BUCYRUS—A $135,000 parish house will be constructed next spring by St. Paul's Lutheran church here, the church's board of trustees announced today

The parish house, which will be located north of the church, will be the gift of John Q. Shunk, Bucyrus philanthropist and retired manufacturer.

The new building will be a one-floor plan and will include an auditorium with a seating capacity for 200. The elementary and nursery departments of the Sunday school will be housed in the new structure, which also will be equipped with a completely modern kitchen.

Mr. Shunk gave the church $80,000 four years ago for construction of the building and recently increased his gift to $135,000 to meet the increased building costs. An additional $10,000 was paid by him for two houses located on the proposed building site. The houses are being removed.

During the past 10 years, Mr. Shunk has made gifts to various Bucyrus organizations and civic groups totaling more than $200,000. He contributed $30,000 for construction of the Salvation Army citadel in 1940 and $22,000 for remodeling and modernizing of the fire-damaged YMCA here. Last summer he made a gift to the city of a $10,000 concrete stadium at the municipally-owned Aumiller park.

Members of the St. Paul's parish house building committee, in addition to Mr. Shunk are: Mrs. E. Blair Ruhl, Mrs. C. W. Warnock, Mrs. John Faulkner, W. J. Schwenck, James Wise and H. C. Kennedy.

The building will be constructed by S. A. Schieber and Son, Bucyrus contractors. Thomas D. Laughlin Associates of Lima are the architects.

"Limited" Partnership Formed at Bucyrus

Special to The Star

BUCYRUS—A "limited" partnership, the third formed in Crawford county's history, has been set up here by three Bucyrus industrialists.

The partnership will operate a new company, the Aluminum Casting and Appliance Co., in a building formerly occupied by the now defunct Wil-Van Equipment Co.

The company will manufacture aluminum or other light metal alloy castings, appliances and vessels.

County recorder said the limited partnership agreement is rare in the United States but common in Canada. Of the company's two previous enterprises of this type, one was formed in 1886 and the other in 1917. Personal liability is eliminated, only the partnership being liable, it was pointed out.

Partners in the new concern are P. H. and Charles W. Ryder of the Ryder Brass Foundry Co. and H. S. Siegel of the Crawford Steel Foundry Co. P. H. Ryder is listed as president; Siegel as vice president, and Charles W. Ryder, secretary-treasurer.

UNIT COMMENDED

BUCYRUS—The local B battery, 174th Field Artillery, Ohio National Guard, has received a "highly satisfactory" rating at the annual federal inspection, Capt. Carl Kaplanoff, battery commander, announced today. It was inspected by Lt. Col. L. H. Harris of Second Army Headquarters at Fort Meade, Md., Maj. John Chambers of regimental headquarters in Columbus and Lt. Col. George Barnhouse, battalion commander of the 174th Field Artillery in Columbus.

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Lost, One Christmas

By Hal Boyle

NEW YORK

"Lost, strayed or stolen, one good old-fashioned Christmas. Finder please return."

But I suppose no one can ever bring it back. That Christmas is covered up with the years. It is covered up with the years. It is laid away with childhood, in that vanished time being a child was more simple than it is today.

And Christmas was simple then too. Everything was simpler.

Dad brought home a four-foot tree and set it up in the living room. The base was made by knocking one end out of a fruit box. There weren't any fancy metal gadgets.

Hal Boyle

It didn't take half a week's income to decorate the tree. We put on a few spangled candle holders, a star, and rope after rope of cranberries and popcorn strung on thread from mom's sewing kit. It was a beautiful tree, simple and satisfying. Everyone in the family got a special pleasure out of it because he had done something himself to make it prettier.

In those long ago days the tradition of the Christmas stocking was taken very seriously. Dad entered into the game, too, and hung up his sock along with the others.

"Put one up with a hole in it — you'll get more," we joked. And sure enough, one of the smaller boys did that. But Santa Claus, too crafty to be caught by that old ruse, plugged the sock with an orange.

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THERE WAS ALWAYS an orange in each stocking, and it was a big treat then. What would a modern child think of Santa Claus today for leaving him a common thing like an orange. The sock also was stuffed with half a dozen kinds of nuts—it took most of Christmas morning to crack them on mom's old hand iron before the fireplace—and jaw-breaking, rainbow-colored Christmas candy.

The presents were few but well chosen. There was something to wear—a new sweater or a stocking cap. But there was always something to play with, too. One year of golden memory it was a real flexible Flyer sled, and by nightfall the four small brothers who shared this varnished wonder nearly had worn the runners off.

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WHAT EVER HAPPENED to that old-fashioned Christmas. I was talking to a friend about it the other day, and he said:

"That was the kind of Christmas I had as a boy, too. But it has gone up the chimney.

"I paid $5 for a Christmas tree this year, and the tinsel garbage we bought to throw on it cost me more than my father earned the week he married my mother. When we were through we didn't have a Christmas tree—we had a Hollywood production. And that's exactly what it looked like, all tinsel and no warmth. There wasn't a home-made thing on it.

And my friend remarked that the whole spirit of Christmas had changed—to him at least—since his boyhood.

"As I remember it," he said, "Christmas was a time when you bought a few presents for close friends or members of the family. Today I get the idea that Christmas is just a parade of people going by me with their hands out.

"My wife said she didn't know whether she'd be able to afford anything for me this year. She said she had to tip her hairdresser, the grocery boy, the mailman, the maid who comes every other Saturday, the butcher, the building superintendent, the milkman, the fellow who delivers from the liquor store—and half a dozen other people. As husband, it seems I'm last in line.

"Whatever happened to the old-fashioned Christmas, when Santa Claus packed a bag—instead of a handbag?"

Pick 50 for Jury Duty In Crawford County

Special to The Star

BUCYRUS—Fifty persons have been selected for duty as petit or grand jurors during the January term of Crawford county common pleas court, Jury Commissioners George Fluck of Galion and A. E. Sosin of Bucyrus announced today.

The jury commissioners drew 30 names for service as petit jurors and 20 for grand jury service. Drawings were made Saturday afternoon.

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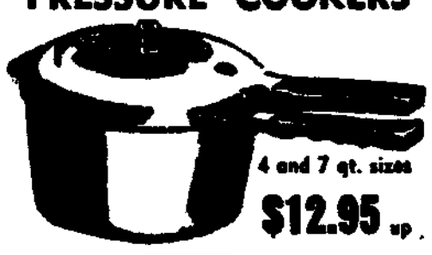

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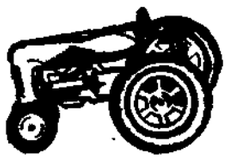

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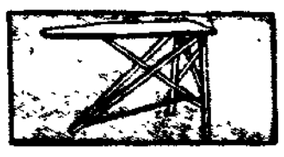

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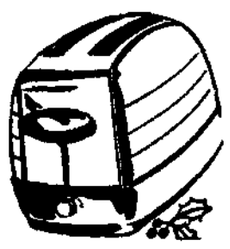

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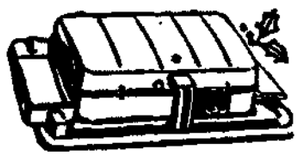

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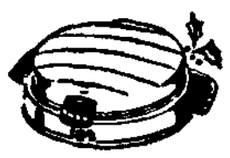

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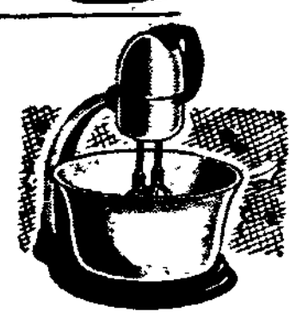

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FARMER NEAR LA RUE WINS CORN CONTEST

Top Place in County Awarded Ed Schweinfurth.

Ed Schweinfurth of near La-Rue won a Marion county corn growing contest sponsored by the DeKalb Agricultural Association Inc., it was announced today by Jean De Les Dernier of Findlay, district representative of the DeKalb Hybrid Seed company.

Mr. Schweinfurth produced a yield of 136.54 bushels per acre on the five acres selected for contest participation. He operates a farm owned by Maurice C. Clements, Marion county auditor.

Mr. Schweinfurth will be presented a plaque from the National DeKalb Selected 5-acre contest headquarters.

Second place in the county went to Carl Neville, of north of Meeker with 130.87 bushels, third to William G. Earl, east of Marion with 127.81 bushels and fourth to his brother George L. Earl, next door, with 120.68 bushels. Prizes will be awarded to the winners.

Five thousand farmers in 22 states and Canada participated, according to the DeKalb company representative.

KILLED IN ACCIDENT

FINDLAY, O., Dec. 22—(AP)—John Baker, 53, was killed yesterday in a freak traffic accident. Baker was standing on a platform attached to a Central Ohio Light and Power Co. truck and repairing a line when an automobile collided with the truck. Baker was thrashed to the ground.

JOHN DOE AND JUNIOR. John Doe, 30 whose name got him into all sorts of complications, sits in Bad Axe, Mich., home with John Jr. In order to cash his pay checks, Doe once required special letter from factory where he worked.

Mother of Two Held As Bandit Car Driver

CLEVELAND, Dec 22—(AP)—The mother of two children today faced charges of armed robbery for driving an automobile in which three youthful gunmen escaped after two roboeries Friday night.

Police Sgt. John Roddy said Mrs Sandra C[illegible] 27 admitted waiting in the car with her two children while the trio robbed a delicatessen of $50

Roddy quoted her as saying she put the children to bed after the first holdup and then accompanied the three men on a $21 robbery of a second delicatessen.

Charged with her were Samuel D. Grimes, Jr., 22, who rooms at the Collins' residence Donald F Barr, 18, and Thomas LeRoy Smith, 24

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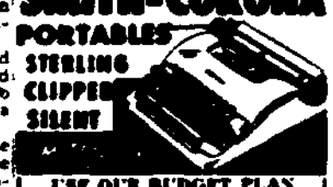

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SEVEN NAVY MEN HOME ON LEAVE

Return to Marion Area for Christmas Holidays.

Seven Navy men from all parts of the country have returned to Marion and the surrounding area to spend Christmas at home, reports Chief Engineman Carl T. Prusnek of the Marion Navy recruiting substation.

Robert Dickason, electrician's mate fireman apprentice, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dickason of 541 Avondale avenue, and Carl Soulier with the same rating, son of Mr and Mrs. Marion Soulier of 390 East Farming street, have been granted 15 and 12-day leaves, respectively. Both are graduates of Harding High school and are now attending electrician's mate school at Great Lakes, Ill.

Duane Kerns, ordnanceman third class, son of Mr and Mrs. John Kerns of 549 Toledo avenue, is home on 15 days' leave. He has been in the service 14 months and is stationed at the Navy air base at Norfolk, Va.

Home on 15-day leaves are Lloyd Wallace, draftsman apprentice, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wallace of near Marion, and James Starner, engineman apprentice, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Starner of near Morral. Wallace is attending draftsman school at Port Hueneme, Calif., and Starner is on leave from Great Lakes, Ill., where he is going through engineman school.

James Brown, seaman apprentice, brother of Mrs. E. Peters of near Marion, is on 15 days' leave from submarine school at New London, Conn. Upon completion of his schooling he will be sent to Mare Island, Calif.

Francis Russell, fireman apprentice, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Russell of 182 Jefferson street, is home on eight days' leave. He is a graduate of Harding High school and is stationed aboard the USS Goodrich, a Navy destroyer based at Rhode Island, Conn.

Adventists Giving To Christmas Fund

The Marion Seventh-day Adventist congregation will join with approximately 3,000 other Sabbath schools of that church Christmas day in taking a special "Christmas gift" offering for selected mission projects in Egypt, Ethiopia and Nigeria, Elder H. G. Gaukler, pastor, announced.

Fund thus raised will be used to build teachers' cottages at a school in Fayoum, near Cairo, Egypt, to enlarge denominational medical work in Ethiopia, and to complete construction of a training school at Ihie, Nigeria, West Africa, it was explained.

NAILABLE STEEL

NEW HAVEN, Conn.—Architects of the McConaughy Terrace project in New Haven hope to reduce frame erection a full month by means of nailable steel framework. The framework permits materials to be attached to it by usual carpentry methods.

SALEM CHURCH PAGEANT

Sunday night a Christmas pageant will be presented at the Salem Evangelical United Brethren church, at county roads 169 and 158 intersection at 7:30. Title is "The Three Wise Men," and offering taken at the time of the presentation will go to the church's home of the denomination at Fair Rock. The program will be open to the public. Rev. A. C. Coldiron, pastor, announced.

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Texas Grapefruit 7 for 25c
Jersey Sweet Potatoes 3 lbs. 35c
Large Size Tangerines doz. 45c

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Confectioners 4-X JACK FROST SUGAR . . 2 1-lb. pkgs. 23c
Ready to Use, Borden's None Such MINCE MEAT . . . 9-oz. pkg. 19c . . 28-oz. jar 39c
Dill-icious, Extra Fancy, Sweet, Crisp, Preserved, MA BROWN PICKLES . . Pint jar 33c

Ruth Lovell's Cranberry Sauce . . . 16-oz. can 10¢
Six Delicious Flavors X-Pert Cake Frosting . pkg. 19¢
Fancy, Sliced, Del Monte or Dole Pineapple . . . . No. 2 can 33¢
Delicious Flavor, Vacuum Packed Beech-Nut Coffee . . . lb. 57¢
Pure Vegetable Oil Shortening Crisco or Spry 1-lb. can 38c 3-lb. can $1.09

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Easy Way to Make Christmas Cookies can 49c

New Taste Discovery in Dixie Margarine . . . . lb. 37¢
Imported from Switzerland Gruyere Cheese . . . . 6 Portions to pkg. 65¢
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Extra Standard OYSTERS . . . . . pint 69¢
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SHORT SHANK, TENDERED HAMS 12-16 lbs. Average lb. 59c

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Washington Delicious Apples Fancy and Extra Fancy 2 lbs. 29c
California Red Grapes . . Emperor U.S. No. 1 Grade 2 lbs. 29c
PASCAL CELERY CALIFORNIA Freshly Trimmed Large Jumbo Stalks each 23c
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Imported Italian Chestnuts . . . . . Lb. Pkg. 29c
New Crop Large Oregon Filberts . . . . . Lb. 35c
California Paper-Shell Almonds . . . . . Lb. 49c
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Harding Defeats Upper, 52-37; St. Mary Drops Pleasant

Last Quarter Spurt Wins for Prexies

By GEORGE SCOTT

[illegible] ging Eagets hung up [illegible] straight victory by [illegible] Upper Sandusky on the [illegible] floor last night, 52-37, to [illegible] season record so far [illegible] wins and two losses. It [illegible] up and tack up to the final [illegible] when the Presidents ex[illegible] with a 19-point bucket pe[illegible]

Once again Jack Daum, big [illegible] center, topped the Mar[illegible]on men with 15 points. Not [illegible] behind were Dick Leffler with 11 and Bill Buckingham with ten. In contrast, the Rams number one threat was Don Kotterman who marked up nine points.

Each squad had its moments but it was Harding team play that made the difference in score. Upper racked up 25 points in the first and third quarters to Marion's 18 and the Prexies swished 34 in the second and fourth periods to the Rams' 12. That team play was the heart of the Harding attack is evident from the box score. Only two of the 11 players used by Coach Kenny Somerlot failed to tally at least once and both men were in the contest but a short time.

Widen Slim Lead

Despite the score the game was no pushover. After the first minutes of play in the fourth quarter the Prexies led by only three points, 34-31. Then switching to a fast moving type of play the Harding men began to roll. Bill Buckingham quickly swished two, Dick Leffler dropped another with four minutes of the period left, Roger Andrews hit on a pivot shot, and Tom Ballinger did the same before Ram guard John Mason countered for Upper.

Just to make sure Ballinger tallied with two more, Leffler tossed another, and Jack Daum ended the contest with a Marion bucket. Fouling by both sides was frequent. In the first quarter both Merle Daum, Harding guard, and Jerre Wall, Upper center, left the contest with the limit and several others were close.

Plays In Bandage

Dick Wolfe, plucky Harding guard, played most of the game with a large bandage to protect his injured jaw. Two strips of tape kept a piece of sponge rubber in place over his chin. Dick was thought to have suffered a possible concussion after getting struck on the jaw in the Galion game. Last week he was hit in the same place against Delaware but last night got through safely while playing a bangup game.

The Harding reserves made it a pleasant evening all around by taking the little Rams, 35-19. Dick Leffler who doesn't miss many when he gets a shot led the Marion scoring with ten points. Don Hoffman and John Zimmerman were tied for second with eight points each.

The Prexies won't play their next game until Jan. 4 when they travel to Bucyrus.

VARSITY

Harding—52	G	F	Upper—37	G	F
Bkingham, f	5	0	Kotterman, f	4	1
Leffler, f	2	7	Moses, f	1	3
Smith, f	1	0	Wall, c	2	1
Taylor, f	0	0	Beausay, g	0	0
J. Daum, c	3	5	Everhart, g	0	0
Andrews, c	1	0	Smalley, g	0	2
Thomas, g	1	0	Mason, g	2	2
Ballinger, g	2	0	Long, g	2	0
M Daum, g	1	0	Messmer, g	1	0
Wolfe, g	1	0			
Zim'erman, g	0	0			
Total	18	16	Total	14	9

Score by quarters

Harding	10	15	8	19—52
Upper	12	3	13	9—37

Officials: Shaffer and Mechling

RESERVES

Harding—35	G	F	Upper—19	G	F
Brokaw	1	4	Messmer	0	1
Winters	0	0	McDaniel	0	0
Leffler	3	4	Kimmel	0	1
Applegett	0	0	Swann	0	0
Ludwig	1	0	Koehler	1	0
Hoffman, g	4	0	Carpenter	0	0
Zim'erman, g	2	4	Song	2	2
Graham	0	1	Gilliland	0	0
Render	0	0	Mason	2	1
Fields	0	0	Leighley	1	0
Mason, c	0	0			
Total	11	13	Total	7	5

Score by quarters

Harding	12	8	4	11—35
Upper	5	3	6	5—19

TULANE MAPS PLAN TO DEFEAT IRISH

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 22—(AP)—Tulane's Green Wave has embarked upon a two-year plan to win top national football rating the hard way—by beating Notre Dame.

The plan was revealed last night in a routine announcement of the 1949 and 1950 schedules, which include a home-and-home series with the Fighting Irish. Navy, Virginia and six southeastern conference opponents also are on each card.

And on both schedules, for the Saturday preceding the Notre Dame contest, are two highly significant words—"open date."

That means Coach Henry Frank will have two weeks each time to point for a victory over the Irish. And what's more, he should have one of the country's strongest teams to point with.

The next two years are expected to see the culmination of a rebuilding process which Frank started when he took over Tulane's war-wrecked grid machine three years ago.

He whipped up a better team than most people expected for the past season, winning all games except for an early-season 13-7 loss to Georgia Tech.

But 1949 was the year Tulanians hoped would bring a return to old-time glory. Then, they said, would come a band of mighty men such as those which played unbeaten seasons under Clark Shaughnessy in 1925, Bernie Bierman in 1929 and 1931, and Red Dawson in 1939.

And 1949 is still the season for which Tulanians are waiting. For this year's team is coming back virtually intact.

The first official air mail in the United States was flown in a balloon Aug. 16, 1859.

Irish Return To Win Side

Locals Now Have Record of Three Wins and Three Losses.

Marion St. Mary moved back into the win column last night by defeating the Pleasant cagers 42-33, to boast its record to three triumphs and three defeats. The Irish led by a small score until the last quarter when they outscored the Townshipers 16-12.

The fact that St. Mary was tagged for 22 personal fouls gives evidence of the Irish close guarding the size of the Pleasant floor. It was easily the smallest the Marion men have played on so far, and gave them trouble. Again the Irish had the accuracy problem for they shot far more than Pleasant, Pleasant, however, made their shots count.

St. Mary moved to a 4-1 lead after a low-scoring but wild first period. Pleasant overtook them midway in the second quarter but a late-scoring splash by Jim Cusick put the locals ahead 12-8 at the half. The county men again threatened at the start of the third quarter but the swishing of Bill Merchant kept the Irish in the lead, 26-21, at the quarter's close. In a bucket-studded final period the Irish gained five more points on Coach Bruce Houchin's men to put the game away.

Bill Merchant was the evening's high scorer with 19 points. His closest competition was Dale Kinsell who paced the hosts with 11 markers.

In the final stages of the contest the St. Mary cagers used a fast break to good advantage. At one point in the last period they scored three quick baskets in succession with the same play. They intercepted Pleasant passes and fed the ball to the speedier members of the St. Mary squad who pushed the ball in after running the length of the floor.

The Junior Irish also moved over to the win side of the ledger with an impressive 40-27 victory. Ted Richards paced the St. Mary scoring with ten points and Hoch was high for Pleasant with nine.

VARSITY

St. Mary—42	G.	F.	Pleasant—33	G.	F.
Merchant, f	9	1	Merchant, f	2	5
Armbr'ster, f	0	0	Mehaffey, f	0	0
J. Cusick, f	4	0	Hosey, f	0	0
Rizzo, f	0	0	Kinsell, f	4	2
R. M'loney, c	2	1	Hoch, f	0	0
Tinnerello, g	1	0	Lahner, f	0	0
E. M'loney, g	1	0	Temple, c	1	2
Wessinger, g	0	0	Hedges, c	0	0
C Cusick, g	2	1	Vance, g	2	1
Maniaci, g	0	2	Schrote, g	0	0
			Selter, g	0	1
			Maher, g	0	0
Total	19	5	Total	10	13

Score by quarters.

St Mary	4	8	14	17—42
Pleasant	1	7	13	12—33

Officials: Ellen and Milligan.

RESERVES

St. Mary—40	G	F	Pleasant—27	G	F
Rizzo, f	2	0	Schrote, f	1	0
Richards, f	5	0	Hosey, f	0	0
Dunn, f	0	0	Hoch, f	0	10
Caserto, f	0	0	Swearing'n, f	1	1
Tinnerello, f	2	2	Hedges, c	1	0
Jv. W'ns'g r.c	4	2	Mack, c	1	0
Krighaum, g	2	0	Lahner, g	1	2
Lupica, g	0	0	Pilkington, g	0	0
Patton, g	0	1	Maher, g	1	2
Kilbury, g	2	0	Gorby, g	0	0
Jk.W'ns'g'r.g	0	0	Johnson g	0	0
Total	17	5	Total	6	15

Score by quarters.

St Mary	8	8	6	17—40
Pleasant	3	14	7	2—27

Playing their second cage contest in two nights, the Irish of St. Mary will meet Meeker on the upper floor at the Marion YMCA tonight with the varsity game starting at 8. The game was just recently scheduled to fill out the year's basketball programs of both schools.

Tickets for the contest will be sold at the door before the game. A ticket spokesman said seating is limited to between 150 and 200 persons.

The game will give Marion

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Angelo and Weaver Meet Nenoff and Bradley in Tag Match

For the Holiday wrestling card next Thursday at the Marion Armory Promoter Fishbaugh tried to line up the season's best tag team match and here it is—Martino Angelo and Tom Bradley, Angelo, Weaver and Nenoff are three of the best and nicest stars known to Marion fans and they have always given the fans the best action. Bradley is the newcomer who took Ali's (Ali was killed in an auto accident) place last week. The tag team match will be the best two out of three falls with a two-hour limit.

In the two thirty-minute matches Angelo will wrestle Nenoff and Bradley will take on Weaver. This card promises plenty of action.

Gerald Darnell, Bill and Al Nash will be the ten-minute opener at 8:30. Prices remain the same for this all star attraction, 50-75-1.00. Call Markert & Lewis Cigar Store for your best seats.—Adv.

CONNIE MACK HINTS AT TITLE IN 1949

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 22—(AP)—Connie Mack hinted today on the eve of his 86th birthday that 1949 might be the year for that elusive "one more pennant."

Smiling a bit mischievously, the man who helped form the American league and guide it through 48 seasons admitted that he has high hopes his Philadelphia Athletics can land the loop championship next season for the first time since 1931.

The remarkable old gentleman, whose Cinderella club hovered near the league lead until the last month of the '48 campaign, said cautiously his team should be "a little better."

Mr. Mack doesn't plan any formal observation of his birthday tomorrow. As a matter of fact, he said, he celebrated his birthday last October.

"The Reciprocity club threw a party for me last October," he said.

"What is the Reciprocity club, Mr. Mack?"

"A group of businessmen." Then he paused for a moment. "You might say they're a group of optimists."

He'll chat with reporters and pose for photographers at a press conference tomorrow morning at which time a huge birthday cake will be cut. He'll appear later on a television show (9 p. m., EST, over WPTZ-Philco) with veteran broadcaster Stony McLinn.

Then on Monday, Mr Mack will leave for St. Petersburg, Fla., for a two-month vacation before spring training for his Athletics begins at West Palm Beach.

STEUBENVILLE RACES

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 22—(AP)—A 19-day harness meet at Steubenville, O., will be started on May 21 under the direction of Alexis Thompson, owner of the National Football league champion Philadelphia Eagles, and Irvin Fried, auto racing promoter. Fried, in making the announcement yesterday, said he and Thompson will operate as the Ft. Steuben Raceway Corp. Thompson has been connected with midget auto ventures in California in the past.

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BOB BAKER

Gilman Takes Grid Post at Cincinnati

CINCINNATI, Dec. 22—(AP)—Sid Gilman, line coach at West Point, yesterday accepted the job as head football coach at the University of Cincinnati. M. Charles Mileham, UC athletic director, made the announcement. Gilman earlier yesterday reported he was staying at West Point.

Mileham said the terms were an eight-year contract at $10,000 a year, the longest of its kind in UC history. Gilman succeeds Ray Nolting.

Gilman, who played at Ohio State university, gained most of his fame as coach of the Miami (O.) University where he introduced the two-platoon system. He left that job a year ago to take the West Point position.

Nolting was ousted by the UC board of directors two weeks ago.

The board's action came after the Bearcats had made their poorest showing in Nolting's four-year regime. They won three games, lost six and tied one.

Draft Starts Pro Grid Battle of Dollars

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 22—(AP)—Professional football bosses [illegible] down today for its annual battle of the greenbacks.

The choice college grid talent was drafted yesterday at meetings of the All-America Conference at Cleveland and the National Football League at Philadelphia.

But it's a generally accepted axiom that a football player can't play for two different teams at the same time.

That means there will be a scramble—a mad one—for the services of the best football players in the nation.

At least one person who ought to know—NFL Commissioner Bert Bell—is inclined to think the cash bidding won't be particularly spirited.

"After all," Bell said, "there weren't many outstanding name players in the college ranks this year. There wasn't anywhere near as many as there have been during the past several seasons."

He might have added that there weren't many names like Charley Trippi, Johnny Lujack, Bobby Layne, Bob Chappuis, Glenn Davis or Doc Blanchard among the players performing on college gridirons this year.

It stands to reason," Bell went on, "that there won't be any fabulous salary offers for the crop that's available now."

The NFL commissioner predicted that there won't be any fat bonuses for the '48 college crop and that "economic conditions will bring the scale down for the high salaried players in the game today just as they will for bricklayers and carpenters and other trades-people."

Of the 18 teams—10 in the National and eight in the All-America—only the Philadelphia Eagles announced their complete draft list. Some made public only as many as two or three names, keeping the remainder secret until contacted.

Mt. Gilead Turns Back Iberia Cagers, 61-38

Special to The Star

MT. GILEAD, Dec. 22—The Mt. Gilead basketball team took its fourth victory in five starts by swamping Iberia here last night, 61-38. Dale McClarren, Mt. Gilead guard, scored 21 points in the near rout. Mt Gilead also won the reserve contest, 35-31.

Iberia—38	G	F	Mt. Gilead—61	G	F
D. Miller, f	6	5	Lancaster, f	3	0
Robinson, f	1	1	Irons, f	2	1
Morton, c	1	4	McCarty, f	2	2
Ernst, g	1	2	Osborn, c	1	1
Miller, g	1	2	Galleher, c	4	2
C Miller, g	0	1	McClelland, g	2	2
Warner, g	1	1	McClarren, g	10	1
			Williams, g	1	0
Total	11	16	Total	25	9

Score by quarters

Mt. Gilead	9	22	19	10—61
Iberia	7	11	11	9—38

Delaware Defeats Marysville 36 to 32

MARYSVILLE, Dec. 22—Delaware Willis clung to a slim lead to down the Marysville cagers here last night, 36-32. Johnson, Delaware forward, was the night's high man with 19 markers. Center Dayton paced the Monarchs with ten.

Delaware—36	G	F	Marysville—32	G	F
Johnson, f	8	3	McCracken, f	1	3
Warner, f	0	1	Boyd, f	0	2
Shuff, c	1	0	Dayton, c	4	2
Gallizzo, g	0	1	Hoffman, g	1	1
McKinnie, g	4	2	Grimes, g	1	0
Coppeck, g	1	1	Hill, g	0	0
Total	14	8	Total	7	18

Score by quarters:

Delaware	2	11	11	12—36
Marysville	6	9	8	11—32

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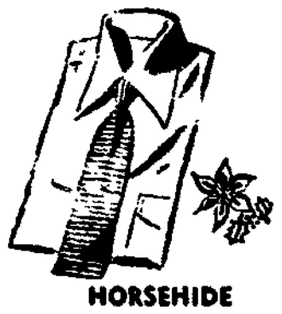

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OSU Beats California, Bowling Green Wins

[illegible] at night as Ohio State [illegible] California, 74-60. Bowling Green defeated South Carolina 84 and Nebraska routed Western Reserve, 83-44, in college basketball games.

[illegible] Buzz Wettstead Nebraska forward, [illegible] dumped in 27 points against Western Reserve. Dick Schnittker, Ohio State [illegible] forward, contributed 23 against California and Bowling Green's alternating pivot men—six-foot 11-inch Charley Slade and six-foot seven Max [illegible] shared honors between them against North Carolina.

The big boys had lots of help [illegible] but they were the main [illegible]

Ohio State [illegible] taken on California again tonight at Berkeley jumped to a 13-0 lead on some sharpshooting by forward Bob Donham—and that was the ball game. Donham shared game honors with Schnittker each bagging 23 points. State led 40-35 at halftime.

Nebraska entered the last 10 minutes of play with a 66-59 margin over Reserve, and then barely stayed in front. Claude Rutherford scored 24 points for the Cornhuskers (who now have a 3-1 record) while Jim Cochran and Dominic Vennetta each tallied 22 for Reserve, which has dropped four out of five starts.

The touring South Carolina crew (won one-lost three) played Bowling Green even for most of the first half. But the Bee-Gees won five lost three) spurted to a 47-33 halftime lead and built this to 66-36 with 10 minutes to play in the game. Hank Martin of the southerners was game scorer with 19 points.

Edison Cagers Outlast Chesterville Rally

HESTERVILLE, Dec 22—Edison outlasted a late Chesterville rally to win by a bucket here last night, 39-37. Otis Shipman Edison cager scored 16 points to take scoring honors. Chesterville took the contest's lead, 29-28, in another close one.

Edison—39	G	F	P	Chesterville—37	G	F	P
[illegible]	5	3	13	Shuster, g	3	0	6
[illegible]				Reynolds, g	6	1	13
[illegible]man, c	2	0	4	Tryon, c	1	2	4
[illegible]ine, f	1	0	2	Sayre, f	2	3	7
[illegible]nal, f	2	2	6	Nunning, f	1	0	2
				Carter, f	2	0	4
				Evans, g	1	0	2
Total	18	3	39	Total	16	5	37

Score by quarters:

Edison	10	10	3	16	—39
Chesterville	9	12	1	15	—37

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

ROCHESTER, N. Y. — Johnny Lyons, 210, Rochester knocked out [illegible]nio Bettina, 190½, Beacon, N. Y., 6.

NEW YORK (Park arena)—Burl [illegible]rity, 162, Youngstown, and Al [illegible]rren, 162½, New York, drew 8.

SALEM, Mass.—Timothy "Buddy" [illegible]ssos, 127, Boston, outpointed Paul [illegible]niond Tiger" Brechette, 127½, [illegible]well, 10.

Richwood Has Easy Time with Watkins

Special to The Star

RICHWOOD, Dec. 22 — The Richwood cage squad had little trouble stopping Watkins, 57-32 in a game played here last night. Richwood forward Cheney had one of his best night's tallying 25 points. The reserve contest was a thriller with Richwood taking the decision, 22-21. Richwood now has a record of four wins and two losses.

Richwood—57	G	F	P	Watkins—32	G	F	P
Cheney, f	9	7	25	F. Wade, f	4	1	9
Shields, f	1	0	2	Johnson, f	0	0	0
Harrison, c	4	4	12	B. Wade, f	0	1	1
Chapman, g	5	2	12	Corklin, c	4	0	8
Speyers, g	1	1	3	Mack, g	4	2	10
Tinch, c	0	2	2	Raush, g	0	0	0
Milligan, g	0	0	0				
Total	20	17	57	Total	12	8	32

Score by quarters:

Richwood	12	11	12	22	—57
Watkins	4	5	8	12	—32

Officials: Wrigley and Burnett.

WISE QUITS GRID POST AT OHIO U

ATHENS, O., Dec. 22—(AP)—Ohio University today began the search for a new head football coach following the resignation last night of Athletic Director Don Peden.

Wise, who joined the Ohio U athletic staff 10 years ago, took over the football coaching job from Peden in 1947. His first team won three, lost five and tied one. This fall the Boocats won three and lost six.

Wise gave no reason for his resignation and said he had "no immediate plans for the future." His resignation includes his post as assistant professor of physical welfare.

An Ohio U grad, Wise compiled excellent high school football coaching records at Columbus West, Athens and Ashtabula Harbor before joining the university staff.

The Ohio State Journal, Columbus morning newspaper, said Wise might move to the University of Cincinnati as an assistant to U C's new coach, Sid Gillman. The Journal said when asked if he would go to Cincinnati, Wise replied "I can't answer that."

BASKETBALL SCORES

By The Associated Press

HIGH SCHOOL

Worthington 52, Mt Vernon 32
Canal Winchester 46, Ashville 45
Hilliards 72, Ulica 46
Greenfield 43, Chillicothe 41
Hillsboro 44, Columbus Rosary 38
Middletown 60, Newark 37
Ashland 50, Wooster 48
Pine Grove W Va 39, Powhatan O 37
Sandusky 39, Elyria 30
Poland 32, Youngstown North 29
East Palestine 39, Wellsville 38
Erie Pa Tech 48, Conneaut 32
Canton Lehman 42, Toledo Woodward 40
Lakewood 60, Akron North 28
Canton South 33, Canton Central Catholic 26
Ada 51, Spencerville 30
Mansfield 60, Alliance 42
Ontario 38, Lexington 24
Fredericktown 67, Bladensburg 42
Dayton Wilbur Wright 5, Eaton 41
Hamilton Catholic 48, Hamilton Catholic Alumni 45
Williamsburg 39, Goshen 37
Coshocton 56, Girard 45
Findlay 40, Lima South 25
Washington C. H. 27, Portsmouth East 25
Lima Central 58, Defiance 37
Toledo Libbey 61, Maumee 27
Toledo DeVilbiss 57, Napoleon 37
Marion Harding 52, Upper Sandusky 37
Columbus St. Charles 44, Newark St. Francis 21
Hamilton Township 43, Monroe Township 31
Sycamore 48, Coleraine 38
Zanesville St. Nicholas 44, Lancaster St. Marys 37
Pleasant City 60, Zanesville St. Thomas 48
Lima St. Rose 42, Lima St. John 31
Shawnee 52, Wilds 31
Lafayette 58, Gomer 49
Beaverdam 73, Harrod 39
Gambier 31, Amity 28
Howard 45, Mt. Vernon St. Vincent 26
Worthington 58, Mt. Vernon 28
Norwalk 31, Bellevue 28
Ashtabula 46, Canton Timken 30
Akron Buchtel 47, Shelby 27
Akron St. Vincent 60, Akron East 35
Youngstown East 42, Niles 24
Minerva 38, Canton Lincoln 33
Weirton W. Va. 57, Bellaire 52

COLLEGE

Ohio State 74, California 60
Nebraska 83, Western Reserve 80
Bowling Green 87, South Carolina 54
CCNY 52, Oklahoma 51
Duquesne 57, Arizona 51
St. Johns (Bkn) 71, Iowa State 47
Colgate 74, Boston Univ 32
Boston College 47, Harvard 45
Villanova 70, William and Mary 48
West Va Tech 72, Beckley 52
Miami (Fla) 58, Pitt 52
Alabama 48, Auburn 45
Louisville 79, Louisiana State 44
Illinois 71, Cornell 47
Western Michigan 59, Ripon 42
Purdue 71, Drake 58
St. Louis 74, Rice 47
Southern Methodist 59, Missouri 49
Michigan 53, Santa Clara 37
UCLA 49, Northwestern 44
Stanford 78, Yale 45
North Carolina State 70, Nevada 51
Southern California 28, Wisconsin 27
Wyoming 58, Oregon State 52
Montana 76, Whitworth 59

St. Louis Cardinals Best Fielding Team

NEW YORK, Dec. 22—(AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals, for the third straight year, compiled the best team fielding mark in the National League for the 1948 season.

Manager Eddie Dyer's Red Birds fielded .980 as a unit and made the fewest errors, 118 according to final official averages released today. The Pittsburgh Pirates finished second with a .977 mark and the pennant winning Boston Braves third at .976.

The last place Chicago Cubs accepted the most chances, 6,049, made the most assists, 1,810, and also led in double plays, 152. The Philadelphia Phillies made the most errors 210, and had the worst fielding record, .964.

BASKETBALL THIS WEEK

THURSDAY

Caledonia at Forest
Claridon at Cardington

Excavations at Pompeii were started about 1748 and the city has been about half dug out of the volcanic debris that destroyed it in 79 A.D.

Brown Decries Grid Warfare

Cleveland Mentor Speaks as City's Fans Gather in Tribute.

By FRITZ HOWELL

CLEVELAND, Dec. 22—(AP)—Paul E. Brown, the three-time All-America Conference champions from Cleveland known as the "Walking Man" because of his stomping up and down the sidelines during football games, is all set for the 1949 campaign.

More than 600 fans gathered for a luncheon honoring the pre-sented him with 16 pairs of half-soles to keep his shoes in shape for the long, turf-kicking sideline jaunts.

Other gifts included Western Union messenger boy cans for guards Lynn Houston and Bob Gaudio, who charge spots on practically every play as they carry information from the bench to the Browns, and a huge deep-freeze cabinet.

Notes Grid Trouble

Brown, in accepting the plaudits of the luncheon guests took cognizance of the current controversy between the National Football League and the A A conference.

"All this bickering and belly-aching hurts football," Brown said. "The leagues could have made so many important decisions had peace been achieved. The decisions would have been important to college football as well as the professional game. We could have taken the pressure off college coaches by deciding to stay away from players who have more college eligibility, but who are eligible for draft. The war, with delayed graduations, created a situation which isn't good for football."

The Cleveland mentor said he thought coaching professional football was far easier than coaching the collegiate game.

"Sometimes I think," he said, "that I want to get back into the collegiate field, but as the time approaches for me to do that, the decision becomes more difficult. My lot here has been a happy one.

"I have been especially glad to meet here, on a social and friendly basis, the coaches we have played against this year. We find that they have wives and sons and daughters who go through the same weekly anguish as our own family. They are great fellows and gentlemen all.

It's Pleasant Life

"I sometimes wonder how I got into the coaching game. Certainly I didn't study for it. But once I started I just felt that I wasn't actually working, so I've stuck with it. It has been a pleasant life.

"What professional football needs today is to set up an organization as close to the baseball setup as possible. We need the fine overall integrity and government of that game. I believe we are gradually working toward that goal—for things that are right generally work out that way."

Buck Shaw, coach of the San Francisco 49'ers, and Ed McKeever of the Chicago Rockets, the luncheon speakers, stressed they were "getting tired of continually congratulating Brown after taking a beating from him, but each designated the Browns as "the greatest football team in America."

ST. MARY

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fans an opportunity to see the Marion County league high scorer in action, Walt Yost. The tall center hung up a total of 65 points in Meeker's first three games, which is averaging well over 20 points a contest. Coached by William Barneston, the Meeker men have a record of three victories and one defeat in county loop competition. Their only loss was to Claridon in their opener.

Coach Treese Sharrock's squad will be seeking victory number four. The Irish have been an unpredictable outfit so far this season with shooting inaccuracy being their number one problem.

A reserve game between the two schools at 7 will introduce the main attraction at 8.

Walcott Seen As Louis Heir

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22—(AP)—The National Boxing Association said today it thinks Joe Walcott is the logical contender for Joe Louis' title—and then threw an indirect punch at British boxing.

All the same out in the final ratings for 1948.

The NBA didn't name any logical contender for Louis' crown. But it rated Walcott as the most likely looking of the lot.

Next came Ezzard Charles, the Cincinnati light heavyweight who knocked out Joe Baksi, the pride of Kulpmont, Pa., in the 11th round of their fight in Madison Square garden a couple of weeks ago.

Now we come to the international angle. For at the top of the "honorable mention" group is Lee Savold of Patterson, N. J.

On December 8 Savold lost on a foul to Bruce Woodcock, who swooned to the canvas following a low blow.

Well, the NBA showed what it thought of that performance by putting the Britisher tenth in a field which admittedly is far from brilliant.

Following Savold and ahead of Woodcock are such boxers as Billy Conn, Joe Maxim, Jimmy Bivins, Johnny Flynn, Joe Baksi and Rusty Payne.

The NBA rating committee headed by Fred J. Saddy, put in a special plug for Walcott.

"The logical contender for Joe Louis' heavyweight title," said Saddy, "must always include Jersey Joe Walcott and the NBA believes that the final selection for a title match should be Walcott or the heavyweight who is good enough to beat Walcott in an elimination go."

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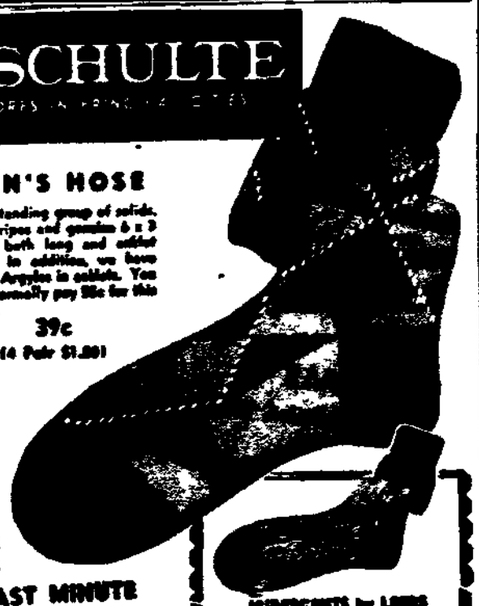

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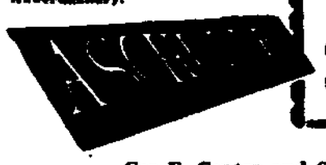
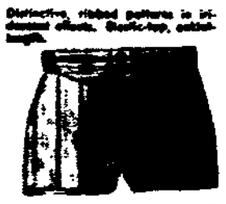
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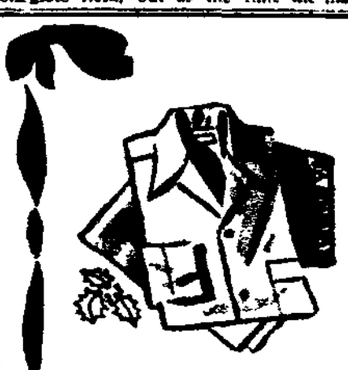

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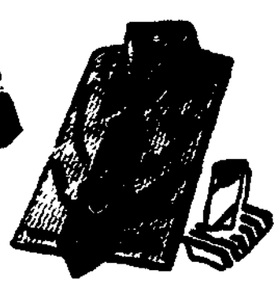
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Council Refuses To Act on Power Ordinance Pending Court Decision.

Special to The Star

GALION, Dec. 22—City council balked last night at permitting the heated controversy over public or private electrical power supply for the city to go before the electors for a referendum.

Despite a warning from City Solicitor George Davies that council would be open to legal action to compel it to act, the city fathers declined to consider an ordinance putting the question of a power franchise to the Ohio Public Service company before city voters.

Councilmen expressed reluctance to act on the ordinance until after the Dec. 27 hearing in Crawford county common pleas court on a temporary injunction filed to prevent the OPS from bringing in power to two Galion industries.

Injunction Asked

The injunction suit was filed after city council had passed an ordinance in October over Mayor H. H. Hartmann's veto permitting the OPS to supplement an alleged insufficient power supply from the municipal light and power plant.

In addition opponents of the move garnered enough signers to make valid a petition seeking a local referendum on the issue, filing the protest with city officials.

Solicitor Davies explained he was performing his duty of office in presenting the referendum ordinance for council action, following filing of the petition with council. He told council it was open to a mandamus action if it failed to act on the measure.

Ask Gugler's View

His viewpoint was challenged by a Galion attorney Carl J. Gugler. Council, apparently unwilling to go along with the advice of their official counsel, asked Gugler for his opinion.

Attorney Gugler asked why the big hurry to get the question before the voters. He suggested council wait until the injunction hearing at Bucyrus next Monday before taking action. "Why take it out of the court's hands, why invite more litigation?" he queried.

Bolstered by the advice from the floor, councilmen stood pat on their decision to hold off action on the controversy with the referendum measure failing to get even a first reading.

They did act, however, to approve a resolution authorizing the city solicitor to take legal action to provide the city with another grade crossing over the Erie railroad by extending South East street, and to protest discontinuation of two New York Central train stops at Galion.

Resolution dealing with contracts between the city and two adjoining townships for fire protection was referred to the mayor for action.

The national parks of Canada had their beginning in 1885 when 10 square miles around the hot mineral springs at Banff, Alberta, were reserved for public use.

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AIRLIFT GETS PIPELINE. In an effort to improve the efficiency of the Berlin airlift, excavations clear the way for installation of underground tanks at Gatow Airfield in Berlin. The huge tanks will enable airlift planes to load and unload fuel with more ease and dispatch. A pipeline will carry oil to tanker barges for transportation to Berlin proper.

EMPLOYERS ADVISED IN DRAFT PROCEDURE

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 22—(AP)—C. W. Goble, Ohio's selective service director, said today employers should request an employe's draft deferment before or at the time the employe files his selective service questionnaire.

Goble said the employer should file a written request with the employe's local draft board.

"Local boards are trying to classify each registrant fairly according to information furnished in his questionnaire and the other pertinent data at that time," Goble continued.

Employers still may file information after registrants are classified, Goble said, but "an employer in order to have the right of appeal must have filed a written request for the deferment of the registrant prior to the determination from which he would appeal."

The director said he did not plan to revive the use of "form 42-A" used by employers during World War Two. Employers now must only report pertinent information in a concise and legible letter.

In the Service

Ret. Richard D. Newell of Marion left here recently for Seattle, Wash., from where he will be sent to Japan to serve with the U. S. Army. He entered service Sept. 12, 1948, and received his basic training at Camp Breckenridge, Ky. Rct. Newell is a son of Harvey Newell of Chester street and Mrs. Mae Newell of Lee street.

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Delbert A. Cook, who is in the Navy and stationed at Norfolk, Va., arrived Sunday for a two-week leave to visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. E Cook of 628 Wilson avenue. He returned recently from a cruise in the Caribbean area on the vessel Midway.

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Pfc. Howard E. Conley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Conley of Morral, left today for radio technician school at Scott Field, Ill., after visiting 10 days at home. He was stationed formerly at Lackland air base at San Antonio, Texas.

TOOLS WANTED FOR NEW Y HANDICRAFT PROGRAM

Harold Fralich, boys' director of the YMCA, today renewed his plea for tools of any type to be used in the Y's newly organized handicraft program. Classes are already in progress for boys and girls and an adult course will be started in the near future.

Mr. Fralich urged persons with wood, metal, or leathercraft tools they do not need to call the Y and they will be picked up no matter what their condition. The classes are open to both members and non-members of the Y.

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DETROIT HAS LOW OPINION OF CHICAGO

DETROIT Dec 22—(AP)—What some city officials of Detroit think about the situation in Chicago and other towns is enough to . . . . . .

Well, here it is:

Police Commissioner Harry S Toy charges that gangsterism, gambling and prostitution flourish in Chicago because the police permit it.

Toy's scornful view came out at a hearing yesterday over a proposal to put Detroit's 4100-man police force under civil service.

Chicago and other cities got into the picture for comparative purposes.

Their troubles, Toy said, were largely due to civil service.

He wouldnt have it for Detroit inasmuch as the motor city's police department right now is "the best in this country, if not in the world."

Civil service, Toy said, detracts from efficiency and incentive.

"You won't find the activity in Chicago against gangsters that there is in Detroit," said Toy.

"In many large cities, Chicago among them," he added, "you can go into saloons and find slot machines, prostitution, and other rackets and the police do very little about it."

The logic of Toy's argument was challenged by Donald J Sublette, secretary of the civil service commission.

He said the police commissioner "deliberately picked cities like New York, Chicago and Philadelphia, which are bad examples."

"He refrained," Sublette said, "from citing the good cities such as Cincinnati, which has a splendid reputation."

That was as far as it went for the time being.

HOSTESS TO CLASS

Mrs. Herman Haas was hostess for a meeting of the Onward class of Oakland Evangelical United Brethren church recently at her home at 873 Davids street. Group singing of Christmas carols opened the meeting. Mrs. Emma Forrey conducted devotions by reading from the second chapter of Luke, and Mrs. E. Williamson offered prayer. Plans were made to fill a Christmas basket for a needy family. Prayer by Mrs. S. Hecker closed the meeting. The January meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Forrey.

Boy Scout Cub Pack Holds Yule Meeting

A Christmas meeting of Boy Scout Cub Pack No 46 was held at Wesley Methodist church Thursday in charge of Leslie McGuire, cubmaster, with 35 parents present. Part of the program included a Christmas exchange and treat from Santa Claus, and cubbing awards were made John and Jim Hathaway, and Ray and Janice Brown sang.

Several awards went to various cubs John Arthur, bear badge, gold arrow and three silver arrows and a year's service pin and denner badge; Gene Phillians, bear badge, gold arrow and silver arrow and one-year service pin, Dale Berklew, wolf badge and one-year service pin; Leslie McGuire Jr and John Hathaway, each gold arrow; Don Schweinfurth, bear badge, John Burns, David Gallimore, Richard Wilson, Jimmy Harris, Rodney Brobeck, Terry Flynn and Gary Thomas, each wolf badge; Dale Berklew, wolf badge and year service pin; and Dudley Williams, bobcat pin.

Four Smog Victims Return to Hospital

DONORA, Pa., Dec. 22—(AP)—Four of the persons affected by the lethal smog that killed 20 persons here last October were hospitalized by relapses today.

Dr William Rongaus, Donora board of health physician, said however, that "nothing in the air now made them sick. I treated them all personally when the smog was here and all of them suffered quite a lot. They just never got over the effects of the first attack."

Dr. Rongaus, one of eight physicians who worked day and night when the lethal smoke and fog of this mill town took its toll, said one of the four patients is "very low."

George Weisdock, 65, "is a pretty bad condition," Dr. Rongaus added. All were admitted to hospitals yesterday.

C. & O. REPORTS EARNINGS

CLEVELAND, Dec. 22—(INS)—The Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Co., reported today a net income for November of $1,838,558, equal to 23 cents per common share, as compared to $2,588,101 in November, 1947, equal to 32 cents per share. Net income for the eleven months to Nov. 30, 1948, was $21,994,353, as compared with $33,712,020 for the same period in 1947.

BODY FOUND IN BAY

SANDUSKY, O., Dec 22—(AP)—The body of Clarence J Hess 55, missing from his home here since Nov. 14, was found on the Sandusky bay shore near Medusa yesterday. Acting Coroner Harrison Pratt said the death was accidental.

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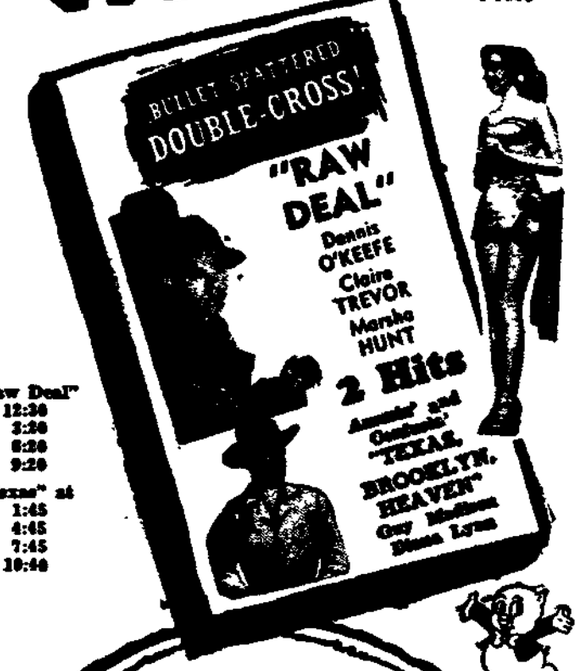

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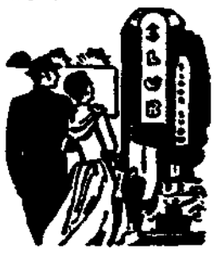

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WORTH MOVING. King-size truck hauls a house from Cleveland to Revere, Mass., to make room for $27,000,000 Mystic River bridge approach. Note how the driver and his "guide" (left) are dwarfed.

N.Y. Stock Quotations

NEW YORK, Dec 22—(AP)—Stock prices were marked down along the line at the opening of the market today.

Losses were mainly in small fractions. Trading was active for a while but soon quieted.

Nickel Plate railroad moved sharply against the trend with a gain of more than a point. N Y Central also improved.

Lower were Goodrich, Bethlehem Steel, Firestone Tire, General Electric, Dow Chemical, General Motors, Sinclair Oil, North American, Kennecott Copper, Texas Co, United Aircraft, U S Steel, and Radio Corp.

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Can	81	Douglas Aircraft	51
Car & Fdy	31½	Dupont	178½
Rad. & St. S.	13⅜	Elec. Auto-Lite	41¼
Stove	11¼	Erie Railroad	13
Tobacco	62½	General Electric	34⅝
onda Copper	33	General Foods	29½
mo Steel	21⅝	General Motors	58⅝
T & S F	100½	Goodrich	59⅛
ntic Refining	35⅝	Goodyear	41½
ain Loco	11⅝	Int. Harvester	27
more & Ohio	16½	Kroger Grocery	44⅛
lehem Steel	33⅜	Libbey-O-F Glass	47½
ien Co	39	Mack Mfg. Corp.	14⅛
esapeake & Ohio	31⅝	Montgomery Ward	73⅝
rysler	83½	National Biscuit	31
mbia Gas & El	10⅜	National Dairy	28⅛
ntinental Can	31⅜	New York Central	12⅜
ntinental Motors	8¼	North American	12⅝
per-Belmemer	27	Ohio Oil	33¼
tiss-Wright	4⅝	Penn Railroad	18¼
		Phillips Petroleum	47
		Pullman	33⅜
		Pure Oil	31
		Radio Corp of Am.	13⅛
		Republic Steel	25¼
		Sears-Roebuck	34⅝
		Servel Inc	9⅝
		Shell Union	17⅜
		Socony-Vacuum	14⅝
		Standard Oil Ind	39⅜
		Standard Oil N J	72⅝
		Timken R Bearing	41
		TransAmerica	10¼
		Union Carbide	46⅜
		United Aircraft	22⅝
		U S Rubber	38⅞
		U S Steel	70⅝
		West El & Mfg	24
		Woolworth	44⅛
		Youngst. Sh & T	72⅛
		Sales	420,000

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CHICAGO Dec 22—(AP)—Butter unsettled receipts 592,650 prices ¼ cent higher to ¼ cent lower 93 score AA and 92 A 64¼ 94 B 63½ 92 C 62 cars 94 B 64¼ 92 C 62.

Eggs firm receipts 14,514 prices unchanged except ½ to 1½ cents higher at 64¢ for U S extras 70 pct and up A.

Cleveland

CLEVELAND Dec 22—(AP)—Department of agriculture composite market for the Cleveland area.

Eggs (f o b consumer grade in cases (jobbing prices) large AA white 65 brown 57 large A white 60@64, brown 54@62 medium A white 53@54 brown 51@52.

Wholesale egg grades (prices paid f o b Cleveland market cases included) extra 1 and 2 large (medium 60 per cent A quality) white 52@55 brown 50@52 medium white 47@48 brown 45@47.

Live poultry prices (f o b Cleveland market) fowl, colored and heavy types 41@42 fowl, leghorn and light types 31@32 roasters 48@50 fryers and broilers, heavy 40@42 old roosters 19@21 young tom turkeys under 20 lbs 51@55 young hen turkeys 47@70, heavy tom turkeys, over 20 lbs 43@49 heavy farm ducks 40@41 geese 40@50.

GRAIN MARKET

Local Grain Market

(Producers Livestock Cooperative Association Quotations)

Tuesday price after 2 p m. Wheat 2.18, No. 2 white oats .82

Range

CHICAGO, Dec 22—(AP)—Grains opened mixed on the board of trade today. Nearby December contracts showed the greatest strength, up ½ to nearly one cent a bushel. Today will be the last trading day on these deliveries.

Wheat opened ⅞ cent higher to ⅛ lower. December $2.39½-¾, corn was ⅝ higher to ½ lower, December $1.42¼-½, and oats were ⅛-½ higher, December 85 to 85⅛.

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CHICAGO, Dec 22—(UP)—Grain range.

	Open	High	Low	11a.m.
Wheat				
Dec.	2.39⅞	2.39⅞	2.38⅞	2.39⅝
May	2.27⅞	2.27⅞	2.27¼	2.27⅝
July	2.08¾	2.08¾	2.08¼	2.08⅜
Sept.	2.08⅝	2.08⅝	2.08¼	2.08⅜
Corn				
Dec.	1.42⅛	1.42⅛	1.41⅝	1.41⅝
May	1.47⅜	1.47	1.47	1.47⅛
July	1.46⅝	1.46⅝	1.46⅜	1.46⅝
Sept.	1.40⅛	1.40⅛	1.40⅛	1.40⅛
Oats				
Dec.	86¼	86⅝	86	86⅛
May	77⅛	77⅛	77⅛	77⅛
July	72¼	72¼	72¼	72¼
Sept.	70	70	70	70
Soybeans				
Dec.	2.59⅛	2.59⅛	2.59	2.59⅛
March	2.61⅜	2.61⅜	2.60⅛	2.60⅜
May	2.59	2.59	2.57⅝	2.58
July	2.56⅛	2.56⅛	2.54⅛	2.54⅛
Rye				
Dec.	1.72⅛			1.72⅛
May	1.69⅛	1.69⅛	1.68⅝	1.68⅝

RAIL EXECUTIVE DIES

CORINTH, Miss., Dec. 22—(AP)—William Chase Hull, 68, Ohio-born railroad executive, died yesterday. Hull was a retired Chesapeake and Ohio railroad vice president. Burial will be in Cincinnati. He was born in a Cincinnati suburb, Bond Hill.

Programs on the Air

All times given are Eastern Standard Time. Stressed Ratings if any are based by last minute changes made by stations and networks.

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WEDNESDAY (Night)				
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6:15	Portia's Life	Sky King	Herb Shriner	
6:30	Plain Bill		Tony Weitzel	Capt. Midnight
6:45	Farrell		Quartet	Tom Mix
7:00	Easy Listening	News	News	Dinner Winner
7:15	News	Dial Show	Ball Room	Sports
7:30	Music Time	Daily Dediine	Music Metro	Bert Bilbo
7:45	Three Star Extra	Remember	Lowell Thomas	Melody Time
7:00	Supper Club	Ohio News	Soulah	Fulton Lewis
7:15	Tres or Three	Win with Wise	Jack Smith	Show Time
7:30		Lone Ranger	Club 18	News Comment
7:45	H. V. Kaltenborn		Murrow-News	Inside Sports
8:00	Blondie	AAF Depot	Mr. Chameleon	Can You Top This
8:15		Ball Room		
8:30	Great Gildersleeve	Proudly Hail	Dr. Christian	Adventures
8:45				
9:00	Duffy's Tavern	Milton Berle	Your Song and Mine	G Heatter Newsreel
9:15				
9:30	Mr Dist. Attorney	Moods in Music	Harvest of Stars	Fmily Theatre
9:45				
10:00	The Big Story	Bing Crosby	Times	Manhattan Playhouse
10:15			A Wastin	
10:30	Curtain Time	Music by Maupin	To be ann	Deanier Cruse Orchestra
10:45				
11:00	Peter Grant	News	News	All the News
11:15	Music	Club 1490	Today's Sports	Orchestra
11:30	Orchestra		Prelude to Dreaming	Orchestra
11:45				
THURSDAY (Day)				
7:00	News	Friendly Time	News	News
7:15	News-Weather		Music Hall	Wings
8:00	Trailblazers	M. Agronsky	Watts-News	News-Music
8:15	Morning Matinee	Over Coffee	Music Hall	Bulletin Board
8:30		Breck Basket	Know Americ	Editors Diary
8:45	Editor's Daughter	Breakfast Club	Mrs. Page	Kilcon
9:00	Fred Waring	Chandu	Editor's Daughter	Coto Glee Club
9:15	Road of Life	Betty Crocker	Art. Godfrey	Record Session
9:30				
9:45	Nora Drake	Kay Kyser	Art Godfrey	Markets
10:00	Jack Berch	Ted Malone	Grand Slam	Mail Bag
10:15				
10:30	Fifty Club	Farm Hour	Henry Wilson	Kate Smith
10:45	Everybody's Farm		Helen Trent	Hour
11:00	Ernie Lee	News	Big Sister	Cedric Foster
11:15	Guiding Light	Pop Concert	Dr Malone	Housewives
11:30	Double or N'thing	Mood Music	2nd Mrs. Burton	Queen for Day
11:45	Today's Children	Bride-Groom	Nora Drake	Sweet 'N'
12:00	Life is Beautiful	Ladies Seated	David Harum	Swing
12:15	Pepper Young	Galen Drake	House Party	
12:30	Backstage Wife	Mailbag	Hint Hunt	
12:45	Lorenzo Jones	Mailbag	Anything Goes	Arlene Melo
THURSDAY (Night)				
5:00	Girl Marries	Green Hornet	Deanna News	Santa Claus
5:15	Portia's Life		Herb Shriner	Swimmers
5:30	Plain Bill	Sky King	Tony Weitzel	Capt. Midnight
5:45	David Farrell		Quartet	Tom Mix
6:00	Musical Memos	Headline Edit.	News	Dinner Winner
6:15	News	Dial Show	Lum Get Ar ad	Sweeney-Sp'rts
6:30	Music Time	Daily De'dline	Bob Murphy	Bert Bilbo
6:45	Three Star Extra	Remember	Lowell Thomas	Melody Time
7:00	Supper Club	News	Soulah	Fulton Lewis
7:15	Goddess of Destiny	Win with Wise	Jack Smith	Show Time
7:30		Am. National Theater	Club 18	News Comment
7:45	Richard Harkness		Murrow-News	Inside Sports
8:00	Aldrich Family	Sports Review	FBI Show	Name That Song
8:15		Ball Room		
8:30	Burns & Allen	Jo Stafford Show	Mr. Keen	Mollywd Story
8:45				
9:00	Music Hall	Personal Autograph	Suspense	G Heatter Newsreel
9:15				
9:30	Dorothy Lamour	Joh in M'ah't'n	Crime Photographer	Mysterious Traveler
9:45				
10:00	Screen Guild	Child's World	Playhouse	This Man
10:15				
10:30	Fred Waring	Music	First Nighter	Deanier Cruse Orchestra
10:45				
11:00	News	News	News	All the News
11:15	Morton Downey	Club 1490	Today in Sp'rts	Orchestra
11:30	Dance Orchestra		Prelude to Dreaming	Orchestra
11:45				

LIVESTOCK

Marion Livestock

Hogs — Market higher; good to choice 160-180, $1.00@23.35; 180-220, 23.50 220-260, 23.00; 260-300, 20.25, 260-280, 19.25 280-300, 18.25, good roughs 17.00 down; stags 14.00 down.

Lambs—Market steady, good to choice $24.50@25.45, mediums $21.00@24.00, common to fair 18.00@22.00, cuts 18.00 down, aged sheep 7.50@19.25.

Calves — Market steady; choice 22.00@24.50 good 20.00@22.00 mediums 20.00@20.00, cuts 18.00 down.

Cattle — Market steady, good steers and heifers $24.00@26.25, mediums 21.00@24.00, common 17.00@21.00; good butcher cows 18.00@21.75, mediums 14.50@18.00, canners and cutters 10.00@14.00, butcher bulls 20.00@23.75.

Cleveland

CLEVELAND, Dec. 22—(AP)—Cattle 150, steady, 1200 lb choice $21.00@24.00, 800-1100 lb 20.00@21.00, heifers 20.00@24.00 cows 18.00@20.00, good butcher bulls 18.00@24.00.

Calves 300, steady, good to choice 30.00@36.00, medium to good 29.00@30.00.

Sheep and lambs 500 steady spring lambs good to choice 23.00@25.50, medium to good 18.00@23.00 choice wethers 9.00@11.00, choice ewes 8.00@10.00.

Hogs 500 strong undertone heavies 200 lb 18.00@19.00 medium 200-300 lb 19.50@20.50 butchers mixed 180-270 lb 21.00@22.75 yorkers 160-180 lb 22.50@23.00, roughs 15.50@17.50.

Chicago

CHICAGO Dec. 22 (AP)—Salable hogs 10,000, total 15,000, active, 50 cents higher both butchers and sows, top 22.75 for few loads sorted 170-210 lb bulk good and choice 170-220 lb 22.00@22.50 220-250 lb 21.00@21.75 250-350 lb 20.25@21.00 few 300-350 lb 19.50@20.25 good and choice 300-450 lb sows 17.50@18.50, good 375-600 lb 16.00@17.25, good clearance.

Salable cattle 3,000 total 3,000 salable calves 500 total 500 good and choice yearlings and choice steers all weights steady to fully 50 cents higher, other grades and weights slaughter steers slow steady to weak heifers steady to 50 cents higher, other killing classes active, fully steady, loadlots choice steers 23.00@25.00, top 25.00 for about three loads 1,125-1,200 lb weights, choice 1,439 lb steers 24.00 choice 1,066 lb weights 24.00 bulk good to low choice steers 23.50@24.50 few choice heifers 23.00 bulk good to low-choice heifers 20.00@23.00 medium and good beef cows 18.75@20.00 canners and cutters 14.50@17.75 medium and good sausage bulls 22.00@23.50 vealers 22.00 down.

Salable sheep 4,500 total 4,500 good and choice slaughter lambs strong to 25 cents higher at 24.50@25.25 several loads definitely choice handy lambs confidently held at 25.50 call and common kinds 18.00@21.50, fed yearlings and ewes very scarce, steady to strong ewes 10.75 down.

NOTICE

The Claridon Local Board of Education will offer for sale at public auction at the Claridon School on January 1 1949, one 1938 model Chevrolet school bus and one 1939 model Chevrolet school bus. Also one 9 cubic foot electric refrigerator.

Information on above may be obtained from school board members or Clerk.

Merle V Lashey Clerk
Route 1, Marion, Ohio
Dec 15 22 29 1948

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF McKINNEY MOTOR SALES, INC.

Notice is hereby given that on November 15, 1948 McKinney Motor Sales, Inc., an Ohio corporation, having its principal office in Marion, Ohio by unanimous written consent of its shareholders elected to dissolve and wind up its affairs, and that a certificate of such dissolution was filed in the office of the Secretary of State of Ohio on December 17 1948.

McKINSEY MOTOR SALES INC.
Edith B McKinney, Secretary.
Dec.22,29,1948.

I have my problems just the same as you do. Some people want me to deliver their paper one place, others want it in some other location. I try to please them all.

I am a little business man, in business for myself. I buy my papers at wholesale, paying for them each week, and sell them at retail, the difference is my profit and working capital.

I am the sole judge of whom to extend credit to.

If you don't pay me, I can't pay for my papers, I lose my profit, and become discouraged.

I collect each Saturday morning, help me by paying each week and should you not be at home at my regular collection time leave your money and card where I can get it.

Thanks,

YOUR CARRIER-SALESMAN

THE MARION STAR
CIRCULATION DEPT.

WANT ADS DIAL 2314

LOCAL WANT AD RATES

Time	1	2	6
	Time	Times	Times
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Closing time for all Want Ad advertising is 3 p m the day prior to publication 4 p m Saturday (for Mondays and days following Holidays) ads will be accepted up to 9:30 a m.

Errors in want ads will be noted and an extra insertion given only when notification is made before the second insertion. The publisher reserves the right to edit or reject any ads deemed objectionable.

3—LODGE NOTICES

Acquaintance Lodge No 613 F and A M Stated meeting Wednesday Dec 22 7:30 p m.

Marion Lodge No 76 F and A M annual installation and reception of officers Monday December 27 7:30 p m. All Masons and their families cordially invited.

All members are urged to attend the big meeting Wednesday night.

5—SPECIAL NOTICES

Make a Date with Glenn

Johnson and his orchestra for Holiday parties and dances. Dinner music and floor shows also available. Dial 9385 for reservations. 160 Rollefontaine Ave.

PHOTOS coming for Christmas? Clean the rugs and upholstery with Fina Foam. Marts Hardware.

See GEGENHEIMER for

Insurance. Life, Accident and Health, Hospitalization, Fire, Automobile. Dial 2340 7150.

All Fire Insurance also fire insurance on city and farm properties.

EARL STRICKLER

Dial 4005 370 W Columbia

BOB HINAMAN

FARM BUREAU INSURANCE
Fire — Life — Auto
Office Dial 9217 Res Dial 9071.

DR. GLEN BURTON JR. Optometrist. Hours 9 a m to 5 p m; evenings 7-9 except Wednesday and Saturday. 393 E. Center St. Dial 3349.

Rent A Truck

DRIVE YOURSELF
Local Trips — Long Distance
25c per hour and 9c a mile
$8.50 per 12-hour day and 9c a mile.
Call station for longer trip rates.
Dial 2155.
BAKER'S MARATHON STATION
256 W Center St. Marion, O

WANT ADS cover and discover a multitude of needs.

AN EMPTY HOUSE is more expensive than the rent it will rent it.

LEGAL NOTICE

Winford H McGlone, whose last known address and place of residence was Rooney, Kentucky, will take notice that on the 22d day of November, A D 1948, Geneva McGlone filed her petition against him in the Common Pleas Court at Marion, Ohio in Marion County, Ohio, praying that he be divorced from him on ground of Gross Neglect of Duty to and toward her, that said cause, No. 30013 will be for hearing in said court on or after the 24 day of January, A D 1949.

GENEVA McGLONE
Homer R. Johnson, Attorney.
Nov.24,Dec.1,8,15,22,29,1948

LEGAL NOTICE

Paul A. Moser whose last known address is M/Sgt Paul A. Moser, 6300520, 9395 TSU AGO Med Dept, Murphy General Hospital, Waltham 54 Massachusetts, will take notice that on the 21st day of December, 1948 the Plaintiff, Ruth E Moser, filed her Petition in the Common Pleas Court of Marion County, Ohio, it being Case No 30047 praying for a divorce from the Defendant, Paul A Moser on the ground of Gross Neglect of Duty, and for other equitable relief. Said cause will be for hearing on or after the 5th day of February, 1949.

Ruth E Moser Plaintiff
Carhart & Carhart Attorneys
Dec 22 29 1948 Jan 5,12 19 26 1949

LEGAL NOTICE

To whom it may concern.

This is to certify that the undersigned has heretofore sold and on the 6th day of December 1948 delivered to David Jackson of Athens, Ohio all of the interest of the undersigned in the business conducted at 240 West Center Street Marion, Ohio and at 332 East Farming Street Marion Ohio. Said business being known as Delux Cleaners and that the said David Jackson in so far as the undersigned is concerned is the entire owner of said business and liable for all of its debts on and after December 6, 1948.

TOM LONGBERRY
Dec 17,22 29 1948

LEGAL NOTICE

Delbert J Hutchinson, whose last known address and place of residence was in care of Trenton Hotel 6111½ Sage Avenue Bell California, will take notice that on the 10th day of December 1948, the Plaintiff Eileen Hutchinson, filed her Petition in the Common Pleas Court of Marion County Ohio, it being Case No 30 038 praying for a divorce from the Defendant, Delbert J Hutchinson, on the ground of Gross Neglect of Duty, custody of minor child, support for said minor child and alimony, and for other equitable relief. Said cause will be for hearing on or after the 26th day of January, 1949.

Eileen Hutchinson, Plaintiff
Carhart & Carhart Attorneys
Dec 15,22 29'1948 Jan 5 12,19,1949

NOTICE

In the Court of Common Pleas, Marion County, Ohio. Case No 30030.

Jay L. Plymale M D, Plaintiff vs James Allen and Augusta Allen, Defendants.

James Allen and Augusta Allen, whose last known place of residence is LaCrescenta California, will take notice that Jay L. Plymale, M D has filed his petition in Cause No 30030 in the Court of Common Pleas of Marion County, Ohio, in which cause plaintiff seeks judgment against the defendants for the sum of two hundred ten dollars ($210.00) with interest at six per cent per annum from August 24 1948 until said sum be paid and in which cause plaintiff has caused certain property belonging to the defendants to be attached. Said defendants must answer on or before January 28, 1949 or judgment will be taken.

JAY L. PLYMALE M D.,
PLAINTIFF
MOORE AND MYERS
His Attorneys.
Dec.15,22,29,1948,Jan 5,12,19,1949.

6—SPECIAL NOTICES

SPRINGLUX Shoes do more for your comfort, style and comfort. Dial 3217 Mrs. Hane, local dealer.

SPENCER CORSETS
Individually designed style and media supports. Call 4125 after 4 p m. for appointment.

6—PLATES TO GO

MAN moving to Ohio plans to sell his 6-room house and lot to be moved from its present location. Dial 9114 for details or inspect it at the

BLUE COW
830 E. Center

White Swan Tavern

Where the Best People meet their friends. Nine miles south of Marion on State Route 4.

DINE - DANCE - RELAX

Dance Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Open All Day Sundays.

Community Sale

Everything sold to the highest bidder.

New Year's Day

at auction Sale.

8—Travel and Transportation

Ride the city buses. Inexpensive, clean, courteous drivers. Safe, courteous drivers.

9—LOST AND FOUND

LOST Engagement ring, one large and four small diamonds. Liberal reward. Dial 9614.

LOST or strayed Part terrier and chihuahua puppy, in vicinity of 370 Girard. Dial 9494 or 9169.

LOST Male brown bird dog, 6 months old, white collar. Finder return or papers are valuable. Reward. Dial [illegible].

WILL the girl who put a certain hood in car please call 9494.

WILL the person who picked up gold wrist watch on the night of Nov. 13 please call 9494. Reward.

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LOST, on Nov. 13, between Marion and Bucyrus, a pair of glasses in brown case. Finder please call 9494. Reward.

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10—MALE HELP WANTED

COUNTER MAN
and
MEAT CUTTER
A & B MARKET
160 N. Main.

Wanted
One Licensed Fireman
Write Box 56, Marion Star

Man to husk about 6 corn
Phone 42674
after 5:30 p m

Porter Wanted
Apply at Pashon's Grill

WE have an opening for an experienced cost accountant. Please call 2670 for an appointment.
The Jay H. Maish Co.

PIN BOYS
Dial 9286

FARM hand—must have dairy experience. Reference required. Apply in person 333 E. Grand Ave.

ONE first class feed plant mechanic and millwright. State experience, age and reference. Write Box 48, Marion Star.

EXPERIENCED bookkeeper and timekeeper, needed in well established local concern, opportunity for advancement. In writing, please state age and experience to Box 22 care of Star.

SALESMAN WANTED

For assistant manager's position. Sales experience helpful—but we will train a man with ambition and who is interested in a permanent secure sales position. New sedan delivery furnished—participating bonus — insurance retirement plan, etc. Best of working conditions. See Mr. Rushman at the Singer Sewing Center, 159 E Main.

10—FEMALE HELP WANTED

LADY to help around house and be with a sick person. Would consider old age pensioner. More for home than wages. 706 Herman St.

WOMAN wanted to keep small child while mother works. Dial 9098 after 5 p m please.

10—MALE AND FEMALE HELP

Kitchen and Counter Help
BOB'S MC NAC
Opposite Post Office.

HELP wanted 18 to 35 with own transportation with possibility of $10 to $25 per day, depending upon the individual. Call with open car at 185 Tris Ave. or Dial 9174 for interview.

How Good Are You?

The fastest growing specialty product in the country needs more men and women for sales work. Can you qualify. Age no obstacle. If you are now selling you have a decided advantage. If not, we have special training for you. Year around work. Not seasonable. Write or telephone to

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The greatest invention since radio. Contact Mr. England for an appointment 406 N Main, Marion, Ohio. Dial 1280.

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Hoover Sales or Service
Call Frank Bros —8124

D. D. Ins 672 E. Church —8507
V. Endsley 702 Harlan—9870

MAILING pianos, refrigerators, and what have you? Percy Noggle, 541 Mound St. Dial 7248.

ALL kinds of sewer work and laying blocks. Cement work. Dial 5446.

WE KILL

Rats, mice, roaches, bed bugs, ants, moths, silverfish, fleas.
Capital City Exterminating Co.
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CALL WILLEY

For electrical installations and repairs.
WILLEY ELECTRIC CO
489 W Center Dial 3721

HOME and auto radio repair. None too old or too modern. F. O. Breese 503 Avendale Dial 4468.

Water Well Drilling

608 Polk or Dial 3428.

ROBINSON

Plumbing and Heating
Electrical sewer service. $10 minimum. No digging.
Dial 4248.

EXTERMITAL

GUARANTEED TERMITE SERVICE
Also rat, mice roach, moth, bed bug CONTROL
L. R. AMRINE & SONS
Licensed Operators. Dial 6179.
508 N Main

Washing Machine Service

White Wringer Rolls
Parts for all makes—house calls—pickup and delivery.
Dial 4241, Roy McCombs, 819 Merkel.

Scioto Refrigeration Service

Commercial and domestic. Dial 3871.

26—BUSINESS SERVICES

Electrical Contracting
WIRING
RONALD SELANDERS
343 Hane Ave. Dial 6783.

Grimes Radio Service

Open evenings until 9
444 Oak St. Dial 1[illegible]

Septic Tank Cleaning

With centrifugal agitating pump and tank equipment. Efficient. Inexpensive. SANITARY CLEANERS
Dial [illegible] 801 Chaney Ave.

Shaver Radio Service

348 E Prospect St.
Open 2:30 p m to 8:00 p m.
Dial [illegible] If no answer [illegible]

Rubbish—Local Moving

Any kind of small items, also appliances. Top soil. Dial 9494.

Refrigeration Service

Dial 9494 or 4893 Karl Mock.

HOME REPAIRS
Combination Storm Windows
Painting Roofing
MALONEY CRAFT SHOP
266 E Main St Dial 2766.

Gene's — Dial 8945

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Electrical Service
Contracting Domestic Wiring

APPLIANCES REPAIRED

Marion
Air Conditioning Sales
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[illegible] - CISPERA
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Roto-Rooter
Sewer and Drain

Thoroughly cleaned without unnecessary digging. Economical. Free estimates.

Dial 2016

Cement finishing and masonry work. General repair.
Berry Bros 434 Universal Dial 1[illegible]

PATCH PLASTERING
Dial 6813.

PLASTERING

Patch or complete job, also cement work. Phone 2384 Ashley

Saw Shop

Have your saws filed by machine. They cut cleaner, truer, better. All types quicker service. Bring them to 187 Pine Ave. Dial 3592.

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Authorized PREMIER Service
Service any make cleaner
1014 E. Church. Dial 7111.

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Dial 2990. 25c up.

WINDOW WASHING

Marion Window Cleaning Co 2889.

SPEED QUEEN

Washers $89.95 Ironers $59.95 up
White wringer rolls, parts and service for all makes.
We call for and deliver.
Liberal Trade-in Easy Terms
BEARD APPLIANCE
N. Main St.—½ mile north of corporation. Open evenings.

YOUR shoes repaired. Your hats cleaned, remodeled, reshaped.
BILL and JOHN'S SHOP
187 N. Main. Just ahead in Marion.
WE have served Marion with GOOD printing for 50 years.
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E. Center and Jefferson. Dial 2988.

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All work guaranteed. Domestic and commercial. Call 1[illegible] p m.
ACME REFRIGERATION
Dial 7231. If no answer call 9086.

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Complete job or patch
Arch bolting. Dial 9478.
748 E Farming St

Glass cut—Installed MARION
Plate and Window Glass
402 N Main. Dial 8122.

Commercial Refrigeration and Electrical Service
LAWRENCE MORSE
648 Avendale Ave Dial 9393.

Snappy Delivery

Dial 2788

Lime Hauling — Spreading

Stone sand, cinders, dirt, etc.
M. K. Peterson Dial 2186

Lime — Stone

Hauled and Spread
Don Miller 153 Pine Ave. Dial 3019.

RUBBER STAMPS

Made to order—any size or copy wanted. Prompt service.
WIANTS 130 E. Main.

For Refrigeration Service

Call C. H. Robinson. Dial 4789

28—BEAUTY AND BATH

GET your Christmas permanent now. Leader Beauty, 179 Pearl. Dial 3062.

Machine and Machineless Waves
RUTH'S BEAUTY SHOP
Dial 2439 649 Davids St.

LETT'S scalp treatment can give your hair life and the natural shine of a child's.
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FOR soft natural looking curly hair try a Nayette Cold Wave.
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Special — Special

Cold wave or machine end permanents $5.00. We specialize in feather cutting. Expert hair tinting and bleaching.
Open all day Wednesday
Ruzzo's
Next to Ohio Theater Dial 2770.

MAKE appointments early for the holidays.
ELITE BEAUTY SHOP. Dial 2818.

MERRY CHRISTMAS
AND
HAPPY NEW YEAR
TO ALL!
BOYD'S BEAUTY SHOP
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SEND your shirts and sweaters to Modern Cleaners. Dial 2455. We call for and deliver.

AVOID doing your wash in damp basement. Do entire laundry at the Half Hour Laundromat, 148 E. Prospect.

To Help You We Offer

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FOUR HOUR LAUNDRY

Spotless Cleaners
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19—PAINTING-PAPERHANGING

PAINTING and paper hanging. Also wall paper samples. Dial [illegible] Martin

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Complete
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$10 Minimum
Complete Line of
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For new or repair jobs
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Make your next move by
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Transfer & Storage Co.
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23—BUILDING-MODERNIZING

Ward's Wallboard

Plasterboard, 4'x8' sheet, $1.68; ½-in. thick insulation board, 4'x8' sheet, $3.72; Fibre wallboard 4'x8' sheet, $1.76; inside doors, $11.85 up! Sectional wood garage doors; were $77.50; now $71.95; 10'x20' utility building, was $599.00; now $488.

Montgomery Ward Basement

24—GIFT SUGGESTIONS

THREE-WHEEL DeLuxe tricycle, like new.
Dial 4180.
FLOOR model Westinghouse combination radio-phonograph, AM and FM, like new. 287½ Silver St.

Mirrors
Glass table tops, desk tops.
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DELTA POWER TOOLS
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Mall electric saws
R. D. LUKE HARDWARE
Hardware for the Farm and Home

Shoe Ice Skates ⅓ Off
Combination Storm Doors, 2' 8"x6' 8". Gold Seal Congoleum 9x12 rugs. Special this week $8.50.
SALTZ HARDWARE
OAKLAND HEIGHTS

NICE Cocker Spaniel puppies for Christmas. Also German Shepherd puppies. Starcher's Turkey Farm, Route 30, west three miles.

Domestic Sewing Machines
for Christmas
A few available
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Marion's most complete line of toys for boys and girls.
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SPEED QUEEN WASHER
World's lowest price quality washer only $99.95. Over year to pay.
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Hardware for the Farm and Home.

Gifts for the Entire Family
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Steve Canyon By Milton Caniff

WHAT'S THE MATTER, CHEETAH? DON'T YOU FEEL WELL?
NAW — I'M O.K.AB! WHAT EEF YOU LOSE ALL THOSE TRAVELER'S CHECKS — FORGER SIGN YOU NAME AN' BUST EENTO MONEY?
HE'D HAVE TO COUNTERSIGN THEM IN FRONT OF THE MAN WHO WAS WAITING TO GIVE HIM CASH!
SO—
THE MAN WOULD ASK FOR THE FORGER'S IDENTITY PAPERS — THE FORGER WOULDN'T LOOK LIKE THE GUY HE WAS CHEATING!
OH — A FORGER COULD STEAL THE TRAVEL CHECKS — AN' PASSPORT — PUT OWN PHOTO BEN — AN' GET DEBO DOUGH!
THAT MIGHT HAPPEN. BUT IT WON'T WITH ME — BECAUSE I LEFT MY PASSPORT IN THE SAFE AT MY HOTEL WHEN I TOOK THESE TRAVELER'S CHECKS OUT TO BRING HERE WITH ME!

Blondie By Chic Young

BLONDIE
— FUNNY NOBODY SEEMS TO BE AT HOME
DEAR DARLINGS WE WON'T BE HOME UNTIL LATE. YOU WILL FIND YOUR SUPPER IN THE OVEN
BLONDIE
I HATE TO EAT ALONE
WHO'D LIKE MORE LAMB STEW?

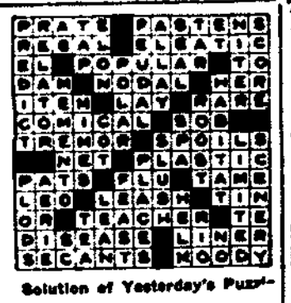
Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

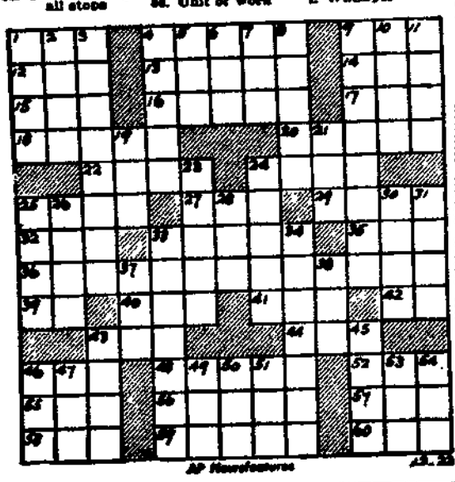
1. Border for a picture
4. South American animal
8. Weaken
12. Sin
13. Light boat
14. Palm leaf
15. Tiny
16. Music drama
17. Cut
18. More crippled
20. Garments
22. Judges' court bench
24. Asterisk
25. Soft mud
27. Rent
29. Swiss hero
32. Playing card game
33. Train making all stops
35. Long narrow inlet
36. Pertaining to expressive bodily movements
39. Paid public notice
40. Writing fluid
41. Before
42. Like
43. Implore
44. Skip over water
46. Old musical note
48. Puff up
51. Sphere
55. Pale
56. Large stream
57. Old card game
58. Unit of work
59. Bridges
60. Small barrel

DOWN

1. Whimper
2. Open cove
3. Shakes
4. Diadem
5. Circuit
6. United
7. High pointed hill
8. Central part
9. Kind of broad-brimmed hat
10. Century plant
11. Animal's foot
19. Corrode
21. Cereal seed
22. Ornament on stockings
24. Not fresh
25. Legend
26. Frosted
28. Medieval shield
30. Italian coin
31. Ballade
32. Stays
34. Places for storing food
37. Cravat
38. Beverage
42. Slam
45. Former U. S. President
46. Female sheep
47. Malayan ape
49. Edge
50. Topaz hummingbird
51. Number
52. Fish eggs
54. Swamp



Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle



AP Newsfeatures

Thimble Theater

YER WIFE DON'T LIKE IT WHEN YA TALKS TO STRANGERS
SHE SAYS IT MAKES HER VERY UNHAPPY!!
WAIT'N I'LL PAY YER CHECK!!
NO!! SHE GAVE ME SOME MONEY!!
FOLLOW 'IM, OSCAR, AN' SEE WHERE HE LIVES!!
OKAY!!
TOM SIMS 12-22

Rip Kirby By Alex Raymond

STOP! STOP, MAJOR! PLEASE STOP!
BELOW DECKS!
IT WAS A DELIBERATE MISTAKE, SIR... I AM SURE IT WILL NOT BE OUR LAST!
THANK YOU... BUT IF OUR PATHS DO NOT CROSS, I SHALL ENDEAVOR TO SURVIVE!
B4

Dick Tracy By Chester Gould

THEY'RE DUE HERE ANY MINUTE, GRAVEL GERTIE! I'M GONNA WATCH FER 'EM.
B.O. PLENTY, YOU'LL FREEZE YER FEET! THE TEMPERATURE IS 12 ABOVE ZERO.
BESIDES, YOU CAN HELP ME GET THIS HOT FOOD ON THE TABLE. THEY'LL BE HUNGRY WHEN THEY GET HERE.
WOMAN, YOU GET BACK TO YOUR POTS AND PANS AND LEAVE ME ALONE! LITTLE SPARKLER'S COMING HOME AND HER PAPPY'S GONNA WELCOME HER.

MODEST MAIDENS By Jay Alan

"I'm not looking for a millionaire. I just want a regular guy, even if he only has $900,000 to his name!"

THE UNSEEN AUDIENCE By H. T. Webster

NOW, DON'T YOU TELL YOUR MOTHER THAT I SWIPED THIS TUBE FROM HER RADIO. I JUST DON'T WANT HER TO LISTEN TO ANY MORE SOAP OPERAS UNTIL AFTER CHRISTMAS. I WANT YOUR MOTHER TO BE HAPPY THE NEXT FEW DAYS
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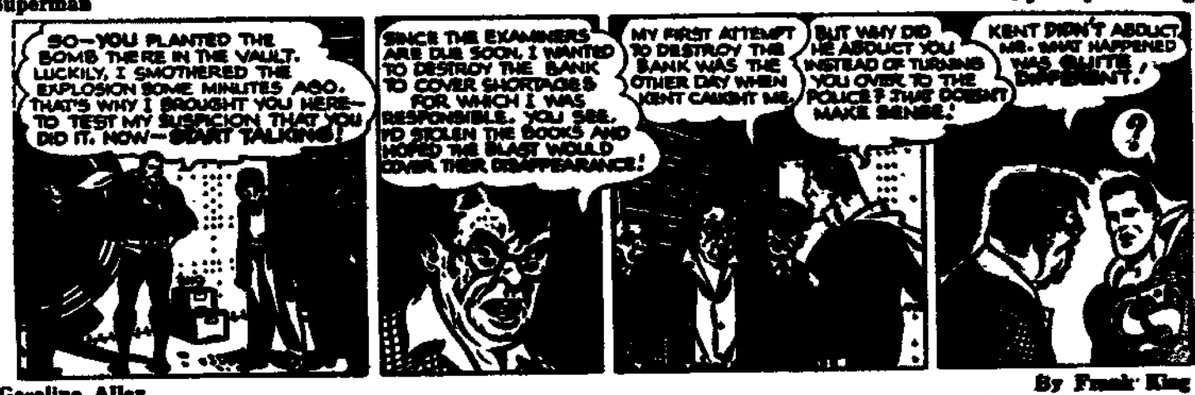
Superman By Wayne Boring


SO—YOU PLANTED THE BOMB THERE IN THE VAULT. LUCKILY, I SMOTHERED THE EXPLOSION SOME MINUTES AGO. THAT'S WHY I BROUGHT YOU HERE— TO TEST MY SUSPICION THAT YOU DID IT. NOW—START TALKING!
SINCE THE EXAMINERS ARE DUE SOON, I WANTED TO DESTROY THE BANK TO COVER SHORTAGES FOR WHICH I WAS RESPONSIBLE. YOU SEE, I'D STOLEN THE BOOKS AND HOPED THE BLAST WOULD COVER THEIR DISAPPEARANCE!
MY FIRST ATTEMPT TO DESTROY THE BANK WAS THE OTHER DAY WHEN KENT CAUGHT ME.
BUT WHY DID HE ABDUCT YOU INSTEAD OF TURNING YOU OVER TO THE POLICE? THAT DOESN'T MAKE SENSE!
KENT DIDN'T ABDUCT MR. WHAT HAPPENED WAS QUITE DIFFERENT!

Gasoline Alley By Frank King

WILMER IS A BIG HELP IN A TIGHT SPOT!
I MIGHT HAVE KNOWN HE COULDN'T FURNISH HIS OWN OF FINANCIAL SUPPORT.
WHAT WE'VE GOT TO HAVE IS A FISCAL TRANSFUSION.
AND I CAN SEE U.L. BE SQUEEZED FOR THE LIFEBLOOD TO KEEP WALLET & BOBBLE ALIVE.

Joe Palooka By Ham Fisher

OH DEAR. ARE YOU AWRIGHT?
W-WHAT WAS YA DOIN'?
WE... UH... WE WERE JUST PASSING BY AND UH WE MUST HAVE...
WHAT YOU FELLAS DOIN'?
WELL, I AIN'T HIS SOTA EXERCISE... AIN' WE WAS AUGGIN' UP SOME STUFF.
WE'D FEWER PRIVACY... IF YA DIDN'T MIND, MUH!
HOW CHOMMO? MAY I WATCH?
WHAFF! COME ON, BABY!

Terry and the Pirates By George Wunder

BEHIND THE REBEL LINES OUTSIDE MAYOR CHIANG CITY, VALENTINE'S MASSAGE HAS STIRRED A FLURRY OF ACTIVITY
BAH! ONE HEARS AN ATTACK IS PLANNED.
BAH! RUMOR SAYS THE CITY HAS BEEN BETRAYED TO US.
AND INSIDE THE CITY...
YOU SURE YOU CAN GET YOUR HANDS ON WHAT WE NEED, SMALL PEY? IF THIS CON GAME BACKFIRES, WE GET KNOW SMPOPULAR.
RELAX, BIG-GY! I'M ON MY WAY TO TAKE CARE OF THAT DETAIL NOW.
LATER, AT THE GARRISON SUPPLY DEPOT...
OF COURSE, COLEY, SEEING AS HOW I'M THE MAYOR'S GOIL I MIGHT BE ABLE TO FIX ANOTHER STRIPE FOR A BOY WHO'D DONE SEE A FAVOR. GET IT?

The Gumps By Gus Edson

A MAN ISN'T THE DUMBEST CREATURE ON EARTH, WHO IS?!
I'M TOO CHIVALROUS TO ANSWER THAT QUESTION, MY GOOD WIFE—
OH, THAT POOR, TREE! LITTLE GEORGE TURNED DOWN HIS OFFER OF MARRIAGE BECAUSE SHE LOVES HIM TOO MUCH TO BE A BURDEN—AND HE'S SO BLIND, HE THINKS THERE'S ANOTHER MAN—
AIN'T WORRY— THINGS WILL STRAIGHTEN OUT—HE'S ALMOST IN THE PEYING FINALREADY—
SO! YOU AIN'T THAT MAN BUT HIM WAITING TO BE HOOKED, EH?
YES— AND WOMEN AND THE AINT—
WHY, HOW CRUEL TO REFER TO WOMEN AS WORMS!

NEEDLEWORK PATTERN

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Laura Wheeler

New! Different! The latest in chair-sets! Be first in your town to have this decorative mare and colt in filet crochet.

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Daily Pattern For Home Use

By ANNE ADAMS

News for a hostess! Two Hours of sewing fun for this gay party apron. Only five minutes more to add those delightful bows above the ruffle!

Pattern 4979 sizes small (14-16), medium (18-20) large (40-42). Small size 1¼ yds 35-in.

This pattern, easy to use, simple to sew, is tested for fit. Has complete illustrated instructions.

Send Twenty-five cents in coins for this pattern to The Marion Star, 100 Pattern Dept., 243 West 17th St., New York 11, N. Y. Print plainly Name, Address with Zone, Size and Style Number.

Look pretty while busy! Choose from the housedresses and aprons in our Anna Adams Winter Pattern Book. Send for it today—only fifteen cents more! Fashion is limited for any time purse of sewing gifts for all the family. Free pattern of a hostess case printed in book.

OPPOSE CRIME WAVE

LONDON—(INS)—The British government has begun a nation-wide drive against a mounting crime wave, following a plea for such tactics by the Archbishop of York. It has been revealed that crime among "under-17's" has reached an all-time high.

Spiking of Bus Tire Proves To Be Costly

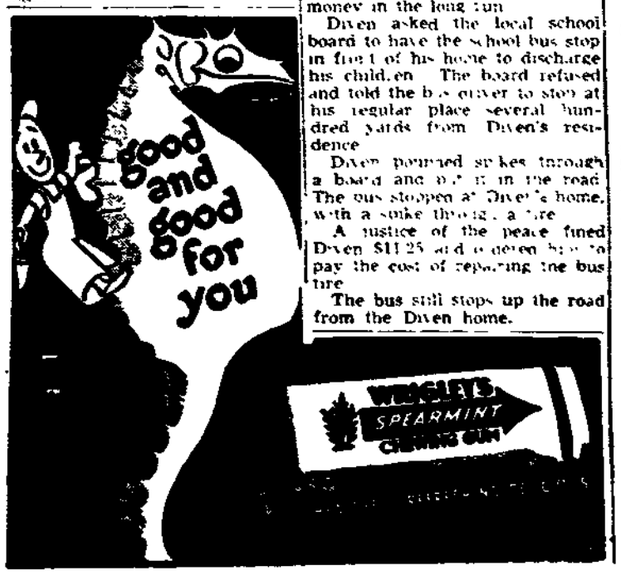
LEWISTOWN, Pa. — (UP) — The crude but effective road block rigged up by Russell P. Diven to stop a bus cost him money in the long run.

Diven asked the local school board to have the school bus stop in front of his home to discharge his children. The board refused and told the bus driver to stop at his regular place several hundred yards from Diven's residence.

Diven pounded spikes through a board and put it in the road. The bus stopped at Diven's home, with a spike through a tire.

A justice of the peace fined Diven $11.25 and ordered him to pay the cost of repairing the bus tire.

The bus still stops up the road from the Diven home.



SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK By R. J. Scott

SCRAPS
DO SPIDERS DIGEST THEIR PREY BEFORE EATING IT?
YES.
NATURE'S HOTTEST AND COLDEST SPOTS WERE USED TO FASHION NEW ZEALAND WHERE ACTIVE VOLCANOES AND HOT SPRINGS ARE NOT FAR FROM GLACIERS.
THE "GIBBS" RIFLE WITH WHICH THE WEST WAS WON WAS INVENTED BY SAM COLT IN 1836. IT WAS DESIGNED TO USE STANDARD RIFLE BULLETS TO SIMPLIFY THE PIONEERS AMMUNITION PROBLEMS.
THERE WERE 200 DAYS OF ACTUAL COMBAT BY AMERICAN TROOPS IN WORLD WAR ONE.

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Around About Marion

There's Something of Interest in Every Line

Common Pleas Cases Filed

Stewart Construction company against the Schlaret Warehouse company judgment of $3,264 and interest sought in action for money only. Amount sought is represented as balance due plaintiff in payment for construction of a warehouse loading dock. Plaintiff's attorneys, Gutnery, Harmon and Conkle.

Charles Henry against Alfred Evens cancellation of contract instruments. Martin and Reed attorneys for the plaintiff.

Trap Shoot

*Sunday p m Dec 26 Hinton's Gun Club.—Ad.

Card of Thanks

*I want to thank everyone who helped me at the time of the death of my dear husband, Harvey L. Almendinger.

I am very grateful to my good neighbors and friends for all their acts of kindness and for the many beautiful cards of sympathy which I received.

Especially I want to thank Rev. Long for his comforting words and kindness, the singers, also Mrs. George Thomas, the pallbearers, Mr. Fred W. Gehm, those who sent flowers and helped me in any way.

Mrs. Dell Almendinger

Marriage License

Arthur Levy, insurance agent, of Lima and Dova Williams Vigil, of 403 Mound street.

Dog Owner Arrested

Raymond Wolfel of 206 West Church street pleaded not guilty in municipal court this morning to a charge of disturbing his neighbors by letting a dog bark in the vicinity of the Wolfel home yesterday afternoon. He was arrested at 5:48 p. m. yesterday and will appear in court again tomorrow morning.

Senotone

*House of Hearing will be closed for the holidays from Dec. 24 through Jan. 2.—A.

Notice To Members

*Of the Ladies Auxiliary to the F. O. E. Regular meeting postponed until Dec. 30th.—Ad.

Ill in Florida

R. C. Brown of 309 Hane avenue is reported to be seriously ill in General hospital at Bradentown, Fla. Mr. and Mrs. Brown left last September to spend the winter in Florida.

Attention Mr. Farmer

*If you have farm implements or tractors for sale, consign them to our Big Auction Sale to be held Friday, Jan. 21, 1949. Glenn Walraven, 1111 North Main St. Dial 2761. Res. 6425.—Ad.

Charity Ball December 28

*Russ Carlyle and orchestra at Rollarena. By Women's Board of Marion City Hospital.—Ad.

Birth Announcements

Mr. and Mrs. William Wade Bowen of 431 Toledo avenue are parents of a daughter born yesterday at City hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Justice of 119 West Mill street today at City hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Krausz of 295 West Center street are parents of a son born today at City hospital.

Wednesday and Sunday Evening

*Services 7:30, 657 N. State St. Memorial Spiritualist Church. Mr. Jacque Savage of Columbus, Ohio, speaker.—Ad.

Fur Restyling

*Repairing, relining, cleaning. Lurye Furs, 199 W. Center. 2088.—Ad.

Soot Catches Fire

A chimney blocked with soot burned out at the home of Ernest Stoner of 585 South Prospect street at 6:17 a. m. today the fire department reports. There was no damage. Firemen from the Central station answered the call.

Free Cancer Clinic

*Open 9:00 every Thursday morning. Make appointment for examination by calling 2237 from 12 to 1 and 5 to 6.—Ad.

Drive-In Pastry Shop Hours

*Open every evening this week 'til 9 p. m. Close Christmas evening at 6 p. m.—Ad.

Club Co-ed Dance Scheduled

Tommy Van and his orchestra will be featured at a Club Co-ed dance from 9 to 12 p. m. tomorrow night at the YMCA. The holiday dance is open to all high school students and alumni of the last two years.

Cardboard

*75c per 100 lb. Ideal for lining attics, chicken houses, under rugs, etc. The Marion Star office.—Ad.

Cardboard Mats

*18x23, 50 in a bundle, 50c. The Marion Star office.—Ad.

City Hospital Report

Mrs. P. M. Spurlock of 127 East Pleasant street was admitted to City hospital yesterday for medical care.

Mrs. Arliss Reichardt of 294 Chicago avenue is to undergo surgery. She was admitted yesterday.

Carl Hoffman of 582 East Center street was admitted yesterday for possible surgery.

Michael Ronald Bevan, seven-week-old-son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bevan of the Scioto Ordnance Area, is receiving medical treatment. He was admitted today.

White Paper

*For cupboards, tables, etc. 8c per lb. The Marion Star office.—Ad.

Moving Across the Street or

*Across the Nation. Merchants Transfer & Storage. Dial 4282.—Ad.

Candlelight Service Set

Music featuring both vocal and instrumental numbers will precede a message at the candlelight service of Emmanuel Baptist church at 8 p. m. Friday. Dr. C. E. Hershey, pastor, will speak on "The Ministry of Angels," dealing with Old Testament as well as New Testament scriptures "to make clear the subject, explaining how even in the midst of what seemed catastrophe, God provided the very best care for the Savior of the world."

The Alteration Shop

*Is reopened for business. 174 South Main St. Dial 9779.—Ad.

Consult Us

*If a change or adjustment in your household brings up the problem of moving or storing your belongings, Wright's Transfer and Storage Co., 126 Oak St., Dial 4287.—Ad.

See the "Night Before Christmas"

*In movies Wed. and Thur. nights. Record Duplicating Service. 299-301 E. Center St.—Ad.

Dr. Glen Burton Jr., Optometrist

*Hours 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., evenings 7-9 except Wednesday and Saturday. 292 East Center St. Dial 2539.—Ad.

Acme Dry Cleaners

*Will be closed from Dec. 25 to Jan. 3. Not responsible for clothing left during that time.—Ad.

WAIVES RULES. A son of the Archbishop of Canterbury, Henry Pears Fisher defies the pronouncements of the Church of England over which his father presides as he marries a Catholic. He is shown here with his bride Felicity Sutton, after their wedding in London. The groom, eldest son of Dr. Geoffrey Fisher, Primate of All England, was married by a parish priest.

CRIPPLED CHILDREN GUESTS AT PARTY

Annual Christmas Program Is Given by Rotary Club.

It was children's day for members of the Marion Rotary club yesterday when they entertained with their annual Christmas party for pupils of the crippled children's class of the Marion public schools. Thirteen children and their teacher Miss Marie Johnson, joined the club several Rotary Anns and guests at the weekly luncheon held in the ballroom at Hotel Harding.

F. M. Sage, chairman of the club's work for crippled children presided. It was a gala occasion with Santa Claus in the person of LeRoy Clauer distributing gifts to all the children and the little guests were entertained with a magic show by Dominic Sansotta.

Assisting the club in staging the party were the following Rotary Anns: Mrs. Wendell Wiant, Mrs. George Alber, Mrs. C. H. Bachelder, Mrs. LeRoy Clauer, Mrs. John P. Courtright, Mrs. Merle Hughes, Mrs. O. M. Young, Mrs. Fred M. Sage and Mrs. J. M. Strelitz.

Guests included the class and Miss Johnson and Cecil Parsons of Mansfield, James B. Johnson of Bucyrus, A. F. Busch, Joe Donithen and David Astheim. Pupils present included Sandra Pletcher, Jean Smith, Lois Geyer, Bonnie Knight, Gerald Snyder, Bobby Griffith, Phyllis Waugh, Joan Clar, Betty Simpkins, Gene Rowland, Jean Gantt, Billy Arbogast and Harlan Banks.

The work of aiding crippled children is a major project of the Marion Rotary club.

New Inside Finish Improves Light Bulb

CLEVELAND, Dec. 23—(AP)—A new inside finish for incandescent lamps was announced here today by General Electric's lamp department.

A company announcement described the new finish as "the most outstanding improvement in filament lamps since the introduction of the first successful inside-frosted lamp in 1925."

It is a silica substance which acts as a nearly perfect diffuser of light, yet permits high light transmission.

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Fine Gift to Son
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Covered in durable tapestry covering in assorted colors. Add to his room this Christmas and bear him cheer.
Befitting My Lady
$39.50
A graceful tan back chair. Covered in rich floral satiny damask. Nailhead and loop fringe trim. Richly carved.
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January Sale Prices on Coats, Suits, Dresses and Furs Are Now in Effect!
Here's a COAT SALE That Would Create a "Furore" in January!
$49.95
All wool "Zip-Out" Coats, of exceptional high quality . . . Every one was made to sell for $59.95! Wonderful quality all wool Gabardines, Covert Broadcloths, with wool and Fur Warmers. Black and a wide color range!

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A sale on Suits, that women will buy on sight. A select group of fine all wool suits that are in demand for all-year-round wear "Sterling" and other well-known makes.
2 SUITS that sold for $80.00
4 SUITS that sold for $60.00
8 SUITS that sold for $50.00
14 SUITS that sold for $40.00
$38

Three Mouton Lamb Fur Coats — $148.95
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PARENTS PLEAD FOR DANIELS

Parole Commission Expects To Have Decision Ready Before Christmas.

COLUMBUS, O. Dec 22—(AP)—Ohio's pardon and parole commission may decide before Christmas whether to recommend clemency for Robert Muri Daniels surviving member of a murder team which terrorized Ohio for two weeks last summer.

Daniels, 25, of Columbus is scheduled to die in Ohio penitentiary's electric chair Jan 3 for the cornfield slaying of John Niebel, 54, Mansfield reformatory farm superintendent. Mrs. Niebel and their daughter Phyllis 21

During several days of hearings Daniels blamed his partner John C. West of Parkersburg W. Va., for the three other murders attributed to the pair. West was slain and Daniels captured at a police road block near Van Wert.

The parole commission gave Daniels a routine clemency hearing yesterday. The youth's parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Daniels, and sister, Mrs. Lillian Sims of Obetz, pleaded for his life.

Decision Due Soon

After the hearing Chairman Raymond Younger said the commission may have its recommendations in Gov. Herbert's hands before Christmas. Herbert has the power to stay the execution for further investigation of the case. As a usual rule, he follows the commission recommendations.

Daniels parents told the commission he was suffering from a mental disorder that made him incapable of deliberately planning and carrying out murder. Mrs. Daniels, who twice broke down and cried said her son was hospitalized four times when he was 14 or 15 years old because of head injuries suffered a few years earlier when hit by a truck.

The testimony of the parents was a carbon copy of their statements during the trial last September at Mansfield.

Theodore Lutz, Richland county prosecutor who directed the state's case against Daniels, told the commission Daniels was "the brains" of the murder duo. The parents claimed West killed their son. Lutz said Daniels willingly confessed taking part in the slayings and did not deviate on any basic point from his reconstruction of the pair's 14-day crime spree.

Beer Charge Denied

The sister Mrs. Sims charged that Daniels was served beer while in the Richland county jail at Mansfield and was drunk when she visited him.

"I categorically deny that ever happened" Lutz replied.

"I'm beginning to think there's no justice in the world except for millionaires," said Mrs. Sims.

Daniels has made no move to appeal his death sentence in Richland county (Mansfield) common pleas court. He was defended there by a court-appointed attorney L. H. Beam. Beam's motion for a new trial was denied. If there is an appeal, Daniels and his family would have to pay attorney fees and similar items. After his trials Daniels said he did not want to put his family to the expense.

BABY BURNED, HELD Accused of cruelty to her 3-month-old son Chester, hospitalized in Detroit with second degree burns on his face and hands, Mrs. Stephanie Grochock, 37, breaks down in tears at police headquarters. She said she went on a drinking spree because her husband was drinking and would not work.

News of Our Neighbors

Green Camp

Tentative plans for the Green Camp Farmers' Institute on Jan. 19-20 were made at a meeting Saturday night. Arthur Evans and Mrs. Ray Wipert will be the speakers. George Schertzer is president of the local institute and Mrs. Wanda Dennison, secretary.

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Charles Carr, chancellor commander of Green Camp Knights of Pythias lodge, announces that the lodge session will be suspended this Thursday on account of the Christmas program in the churches. Installation of officers will be at the Jan. 30 meeting.

Beech

A Christmas program will be given Sunday at 7:30 p. m. at the Rural Salem Evangelical United Brethren church under the auspices of the Sunday school with Mrs. M. A. Anthony as leader. A candlelight service will be held with Rev. A. C. Coldiron and Mrs. Russell Gillson as readers. Part 1 will be "The Promise of Light," Part 2 "The Gift of Light" and Part 3 "Light for the World." A duet will be sung by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Miller. Pianist will be Mrs. Orrie Myers.

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Revival services closed Sunday at the Salem church after two weeks. Rev. E. J. Halderman, evangelist of Edison, preached the last week while visiting pastors occupied the pulpit the first week. Rev. A. C. Coldiron was in charge of the services.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Kinefelter entertained the Church Fellowship of the Rural Salem Evangelical U. B. church Saturday night. Officers elected were president, Mrs. E. H. Kinefelter, vice president, Maurice Anthony; secretary, Mrs. Orrie Myers, and treasurer, Mrs. R. M. Fields. Mrs. Lewis Chappell read the Christmas story and Rev. A. C. Coldiron offered prayer. A gift exchange was held. There were 35 in attendance.

Carey

The Carey High school band presented a Christmas program in the auditorium Sunday afternoon. Featured was Eileen Mott, who sang "Santa Claus Is Coming to Town" with band accompaniment, George Hartman with a tenor saxophone solo, "Among the Sycamores" and a baritone horn solo, "Italiana," by Rose Marie Davis.

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Rev. Wade H. Koons, pastor of Christ Lutheran church in Carey, and a chairman of the Ohio Christian Rural Overseas program, appeared on the dedication ceremonies in Columbus Sunday when the Ohio Christmas Food Train was dedicated. The service was held on the lawn in front of the state capitol before a large crib of corn donated by Ohio farmers. The Scripture and invocation was given by Rev. Koons.

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The Mary-Martha class of Christ Lutheran Sunday school held a Christmas party Monday in the church. Hostesses were Mrs. Donald Fetters, Mrs. Dale Frazier, Mrs. Richard Frederick, Mrs. Arden Heilman and Mrs. George Savidge.

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Miss Dorothy June Hood, daughter of Mrs. Cecil Hood of Carey, and Harry Fox Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fox Sr., also of Carey, were united in marriage Saturday in the rectory of the Shrine of Our Lady of Consolation at Carey. Rev. Ronald Pregliasco officiated.

Miss Virginia Fox and John Fox, sister and brother of the groom, attended the couple. A wedding breakfast was served at Gibbins restaurant in Carey. The bride is employed at the Porcelain Products Co. and the groom is a janitor at Carey High school.

Upper Sandusky

Mr. and Mrs. Orville O. Corbin of near Upper Sandusky are announcing the recent marriage of their son, Harold Richard Corbin. The wedding took place Saturday, Dec. 11, in the First Methodist church at Canton to Miss Betty Jane Hart of Canton. Attendants were Miss Joanne Feichter, maid of honor, Mrs. John William Boyce and Miss Margaret Wilson of Columbus, bridesmaids. Jan Bruce Hart Jr., the bride's brother, was best man. Guests were received at the Congress Lake Club. They will reside in Florida where Mr. Corbin is employed at the Western Adjustment and Inspecting Co. there.

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Candlelight services Christmas eve will be held at 10 p. m. in First Lutheran church and at 10:30 p. m. in St. Paul Lutheran church. The services in both churches will include special music by organists and choirs.

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Mr. and Mrs. Byron Koetzle of Upper Sandusky are the parents of a son born Friday at Mercy hospital, Tiffin.

Crestline

CRESTLINE — Miss Janice Elaine Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Jackson of North Thoman street, and Herbert Eugene Hewitt, son of Delbert Hewitt and Mrs. Carrie Hewitt of Shelby, were married Friday, Dec. 17 at 7 p. m. Rev. C. L. Yoder of the First Methodist church performed the double ring ceremony. Two baskets of mums, palms, ferns and seven branch candelabra were a part of the setting.

Traditional wedding marches and "Always" were played on the organ by Mrs. C. P. Arter. Mrs. Peter Kemle sang the "Lord's Prayer" at the close of the ceremony.

The bride wore a street length dress of sapphire blue crepe with rhinestone trim and grey accessories. Her corsage was of white camellias.

Miss Beverly Bausch was maid of honor, wearing a corsage of pink camellias. Verlin Hewitt of Shelby was his brother's best man. The bride's mother wore a corsage of pink rosebuds.

A reception for 30 guests followed the ceremony in the home of the bride's parents. The home was decorated for the occasion with flowers and a three tier wedding cake topped with a bridal couple. After the reception the couple left for a wedding trip of undisclosed destination. The couple will reside at 414 East Main street, Crestline after the trip.

The bride, a graduate of Crestline High school, attended Mansfield Business college. She is employed in the billing department of the Shelby Salesbook Co.

Mr. Hewitt attended Shelby High school. He is employed at the Miller Produce Co.

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A Christmas dinner of the Win One class was held in the Calvary Reformed church basement. After the dinner devotionals were led by Mrs. W. L. Margard. Mrs. Paul Frank presided for the business.

Mrs. Paul Post led in group singing of Christmas carols. The class presented Mrs. Magard, wife of the pastor and the class teacher, Mrs. Floyd Kreps, with a gift. The members had a gift exchange.

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William Y. Johnson, son of Mrs. and the late Glen Johnson of North Henry street, has passed his state examination and has received the Ohio state embalming license. He is a graduate of Crestline High school and the Cumlaude School of Embalming in Cincinnati. He is now associated with a Cincinnati firm.

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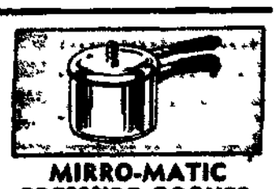

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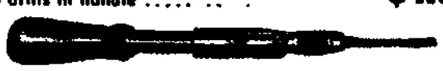

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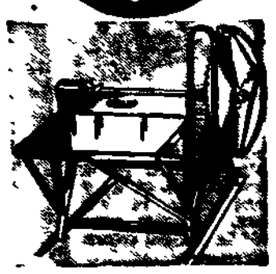

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CHAPTER PRESENTS FIFTY-YEAR PINS

Eastern Star Members Receive Recognition.

Fifty-year pins were presented at a meeting of Lydia Chapter No. 83, Eastern Star, Monday night at the Masonic temple. Making the presentations to members who have served in the order a half century was Mrs. Margaret Hall, deputy grand matron of District No. 11, O.E.S., and receiving the pins were Mrs. Mary J. Dickerson, Miss Emma Herber, Mrs. Margaret Shurr, Mrs. Ella Williams, Mrs. Bertha Cheney, Mrs. Nettie Waddell, Mrs. Caroline Evans, John G. Evans, Mrs. Elva Melvin, Mrs. Eunice Tracy and Mrs. Lida B. Gunder.

Introduced were past matrons and patrons, the district deputy grand matron, and distinguished Masons, Harvey T. Gracely, past master of the Ohio council of R. and S.M., Stewart E. Jones, grand master of the third veil, Ohio chapter of R.A.M., and Harry C. Williams, master of Marion Lodge No. 70, F. and A.M. Special music was by the Harding High school a cappella choir, directed by L. G. Jones, including Christmas music.

Following was a social hour in the dining room with past matrons as the hostesses, including Mrs. Zelda Sweney, Mrs. Gail Montgomery, Mrs. Matilda Long and Mrs. Jennie Ewing. Mrs. Eve Hunter played piano music. Tables were decorated in keeping with the holiday season. It was announced that at the next meeting, initiatory work will be conducted.

22 New Cars, 4 Trucks Delivered Here in Week

Twenty-two new cars and four new trucks were sold in Marion county during the week ending Dec. 21, according to records in the office of Calvin Oborn, clerk of courts. Sales of new cars for the week showed a decline of six from the total of the previous week while the number of new trucks turned over to owners remained at the same total as for the previous week.

HITS WAGE DEMANDS. Testifying in Washington before the congressional committee investigating corporation profits is Charles E. Wilson, president of the General Electric Corporation. The executive charged that labor's wage demands have caused high prices and deprived stockholders of profits on investments.

Christmas Mail Tops Record at Upper

Special to The Star

UPPER SANDUSKY—The volume of mail handled at the Upper Sandusky postoffice last week totaled more than 60,000 pieces and exceeded all previous records. Two deliveries were made in the residential district instead of the usual one on Saturday and, for the first time in Upper Sandusky, a delivery was made on Sunday morning. Even with these extra efforts, the Monday deliveries were very heavy and carriers were several hours behind schedule when they completed their routes.

NATIONAL GUARD UNIT LEADS FUND DRIVE

Bleachers Needed for New Kenton Armory.

KENTON, Dec. 22—A drive for funds to purchase bleachers for the National Guard armory here is being inaugurated by members of Co. E, 14th Infantry Regiment who will occupy the structure as soon as the rebuilding work is completed.

The armory was almost destroyed by fire on Dec. 17, 1947 but rebuilding is well under way. Trusses are needed before it can be roofed. They have been shipped from Portland, Ore., and are expected in Kenton this week.

Trusses will be wooden, as called for when the contract was readvertised last summer. On the first advertising bids, steel girders were called for. But no bids were received, and the contract was readvertised by the adjutant general's department, specifying wooden trusses.

The front wall of the building which was not badly damaged by the flames, will be used in the new structure. Other walls now are well on the way to completion.

However, it was pointed out that the state does not provide funds for purchase of seating facilities. The armory long has been used for public functions such as basketball, boxing and wrestling shows, automobile and poultry exhibits as well as other public gatherings, such as political rallies. It is located in the business district of the city.

Members of the National Guard unit will spearhead the drive for funds to purchase bleachers of the type which can be folded back against the wall, thereby allowing the full space of the floor to be used for military maneuvers. A committee of guardsmen now is determining what make of bleachers will be most suitable and also means of procuring funds.

New Upper Sandusky Street Lights Planned

Special to The Star

UPPER SANDUSKY—Plans for a new white way for street lighting in the Upper Sandusky business district have been completed by C. D. Albright, of Bucyrus, Ohio Power Company district manager and Robert Copeland, commercial and industrial representative at the company office here.

Plans were drawn, Mr. Albright announced, in response to a request from city council that the white way be modernized. They call for replacing present street light poles with steel posts 25 feet high carrying an eight foot arm to extend the 1,000 candlepower lights over the street. Higher standards and placement of lights over the street rather than at the curb would give increased efficiency for the current consumed, it was explained.

The new standards would be located from Hick to Finley streets on Sandusky avenue and from Fifth to Eighth streets on Wyandot avenue. The additional current required for the larger bulbs and the expanded coverage was estimated at an amount that would add about $200 to the annual light bill.

Parking Meters To Go In at Upper Sandusky

Special to The Star

UPPER SANDUSKY—Parking meters will be installed here in the near future. Councilmen voted five to one in favor of the ordinance in a recent meeting. Proponents said the measure would relieve the "all-day parking" problem and provide needed additional revenue for the municipal government.

A survey has been ordered to determine the number of meters needed and the locations for their installation. When this preliminary survey is completed council will advertise for bids on the furnishing and installing of the machines.

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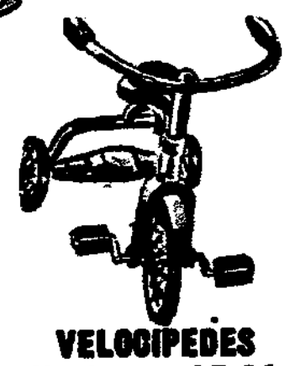

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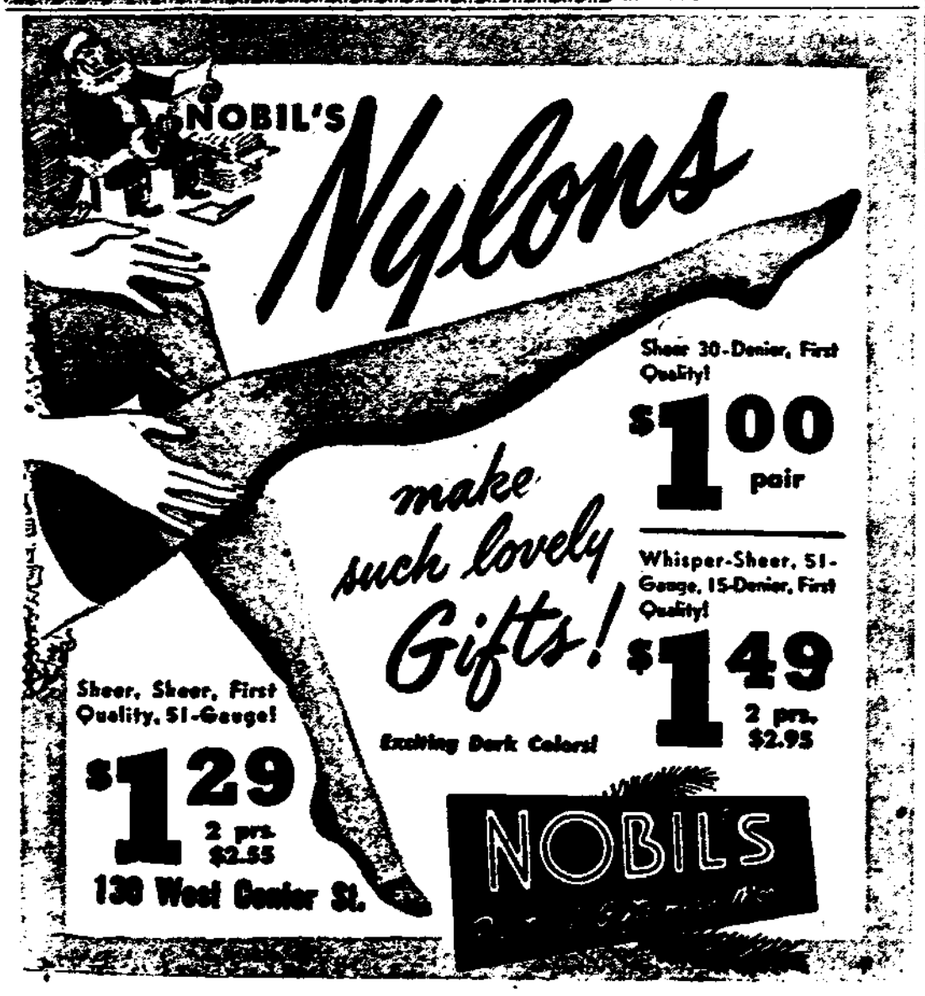

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Mute Testimony

IT MAY NEVER be known why Laurence Duggan died just before he was to be questioned by a federal grand jury examining evidence that spies and traitors had access to secret government papers. It may never be known how he died—whether by his own will, or whether he was killed by someone.

But his death becomes under the circumstances mute testimony that the grand jury isn't wasting its time. There had to be a reason for the unexpected accident. Whether it was a reason that existed only in the mind of the deceased man or a reason that existed in the mind of someone else it was strong enough to cause a death.

Duggan was to be questioned to determine whether or not he, as a former employe of the state department, had made any secret documents available to outsiders. The house committee to investigate un-American activities had been instrumental in making his name available to the grand jury, but had not questioned him. Someone—either the man himself or someone who dreaded what he might say—determined that Laurence Duggan never would be questioned by anyone.

Free Souls

IT WAS NEVER clearer than it is in the case of Irish independence that laws and treaties don't have much to do with human freedom. Independence is a condition of the mind. A free man cannot be brought to feel any more than a man who is enslaved by his own thinking can be set free.

Citizens of Eire will celebrate some date yet to be established as their "Independence day." But the birth of their independence goes back into the mists of history, to a remote time when Irishmen decided to do their own thinking in politics. The fact they have been fighting for legal freedom since the 17th century is only a circumstance of the independence they have claimed as their right for some three centuries.

In this same pattern of thinking, however, it is evident that the quest for independence is doomed to failure in an independent world. The American colonists who won independence in a revolution against Britain gained only the obligation to share their freedom and its blessings with others, including in later times Britain itself. It is significant that Eire's independence, as signalized in the passage of legislation making the republic free of all British control, is being regarded chiefly as a means of bringing Irishmen and Britons closer together. The most intriguing potential in the "disintegration" of the British empire is the possibility that the empire may be strengthened by the loyalty of human beings who have learned what it means to be free.

The Inevitable By-Product

EVERYTIME government adds a new responsibility to its ever-growing list it adds more jobholders. These must be paid, housed and supplied with working materials, all at public expense That has been the story of bureaucratic expansion in every modern country.

In the argument over compulsory health insurance, which apparently is going to reach a climax during the life of the 81st congress, backers of this socialized approach to the problem of medical care will play down its probable effect on bureaucratic expansion. They will want to make it appear that compulsory health insurance would cheapen the cost of medical and dental care. But the inevitable result of giving government this responsibility would be to increase over-all costs because of the horde of new jobholders required to administer any national health plan.

The detailed study of compulsory health insurance made by the bookings institution on the invitation of the senate subcommittee on health published early this year reached the conclusion that such a system would increase the cost of medical care because of two other tendencies besides the development of a new horde of public jobholders. These would be a tendency of insured persons to make "unnecessary and often unreasonable demands upon medical care services" and a tendency of some practitioners and agencies to use the system for their own financial advantage. The latter tendency already is troublesome in England.

The real issue of medical care, as defined by the Brookings Institution study, is not whether Americans can afford to pay for it but whether they should be compelled by law to pool their risks and give payment for medical care top priority in their expenditures.

Did You Know

Before World War II, consumers' purchases in the United States averaged between two and three times the combined amounts spent for private construction, capital equipment and government goods and services.

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The last great work of Richard Wagner, German composer, was "Parsifal," based on the legend of the Holy Grail although not on the legend of the "Morte d'Arthur."

Repeal of Labor Law

By David Lawrence

Outright Repeal of Act May Not Be Easy

WASHINGTON

SENATOR IVES of New York Republican, who is one of the specialists in the senate on the subject of labor-management legislation, says that an outright repeal of the Taft-Hartley act would leave a "No-man's land" and chaos in the field of labor. Such a step would wipe out the Wagner act and abolish the labor board overnight. It would repeal the collective bargaining provisions of federal law

The New York senator says the practical thing to do is repeal the amendment known as the Taft-Hartley act, but at the same time and in the same bill, make a new set of provisions embodying the good features of both the Wagner Act and the Taft-Hartley law.

It is doubtful whether a majority of both houses can be assembled to vote out the entire Taft-Hartley act without a substitute satisfactory to the same majority. Mr. Ives does not believe that labor-management legislation should be partisan or political. That is one reason why he does not go along with the proposed report by the joint committee on labor legislation which is shortly to issue a statement outlining the amendments it proposes. He feels that the division on this already is along Republican and Democratic lines and that this ought not to be congressional attitude toward an industrial problem.

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AS FOR AMENDMENTS and new legislation, the nation will see many proposals introduced when the new congress meets next month. There seems to have been a united front by labor leaders demanding repeal of the Taft-Hartley Act but they, too, have thought they could allow an interval to elapse afterward before a new law is substituted. There is, of course, a way by which the repeal bill can be worded to restore the original Wagner act. This probably would start such a debate and controversy as to endanger the repeal bill itself. Something which takes the place of the Taft-Hartley act and is different from the Wagner act has already been indicated as the desire of the secretary of labor, Maurice Tobin.

Business spokesmen seem to be divided in their proposals as to what should be done. Over the week-end, for instance, the magazine "Business Week," published by the McGraw-Hill company, in an editorial declaring that the Taft-Hartley act "went too far," says:

"It crossed the narrow line separating a law which aims only to regulate from one which would destroy. Given a few million unemployed in America, given an administration in Washington which was not pro-union—and the Taft-Hartley act conceivably wreck the labor movement.

"These are the provisions that could do it: (1) picketing can be restrained by injunction, (2) employers can petition for a collective bargaining election; (3) strikers can be held ineligible to vote—while the strike replacements cast the only ballots; and (4) if the outcome of this is a "no-union' vote, the government must certify and enforce it."

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THE FOREGOING APPEARS to emphasize points that do not seem to have destroyed any unions thus far First of all, the law does not permit any injunction against peaceful picketing It affects only picketing in which violence or physical intimidation is involved. It does restrain picketing in secondary boycott cases, but President Truman has announced in favor of banning secondary boycotts.

As for employer petitions in collective bargaining cases, the union need not ask for certification until it has a majority and the employer cannot petition until the union is ready for an election and asks for bargaining rights.

On the subject of voting, the supreme court, under the Wagner act, ruled that an employe on strike who had been replaced by a permanent employe was no longer entitled to vote except where the strike involved "unfair labor practice" charges. The labor board, in its rulings under the Wagner act, was moving toward the same position now being taken under the Taft-Hartley act. If the law is to guarantee that the union is to win every strike and that no employer may hire any replacements because he would have to fire them when the strike was settled, the so-called economic power in collective bargaining would certainly be heavily balanced against the employer.

There are several points on which revision of the Taft-Hartley act is desirable, but it is doubtful whether any persuasive case can be made out by those who argue that the present law was designed to or really could destroy the labor movement in America.

Daily Bible Thought

We are not very well acquainted with our real selves. Shut out the world and look inward. Some changes may be indicated. "Commune with thine own heart upon your bed, and be still."—Ps. 4:4.

Are Lawyers Next

By Raymond Moley

IT MAY not be long before the lawyers will find themselves shoulder to shoulder with the doctors in a fight against socialization. England, after several years of government medicine, now proposes to establish a form of government-supported legal service.

It can be taken for granted that zealous reformers and politicians in search of an issue will start a drive for the same thing here. And if the threat of government medicine has made doctors politically conscious, imagine what it will do to lawyers!

The English plan is contained in a legal aid and advice bill, presented in November to parliament by the lord high chancellor. It probably will be enacted by the Socialist majority without much delay.

Under this Socialist plan, the bar will remain—as in the past—an agency and creature of the courts. Barristers and solicitors will continue to practice in their present chambers, alone or in partnership.

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BUT IN CASES involving needy persons—defined as those with net incomes below $1,700 a year or with net capital of less than $2,100—fees will be paid in whole or in part by the government to the lawyers giving the service. In higher courts, the government will pay 85 per cent of the fee; in country courts, all of it. The size of the fees apparently will be fixed by the lawyers, under some sort of semi-cooperative arrangement.

The client will be permitted to choose his lawyer. The lawyer will remain in private practice. And he will be paid in fees, not by a government salary.

This scheme is presented in England as a relatively conservative compromise with complete governmentalization of the legal profession, such as prevails in Soviet Russia There the lawyer is a creature and employe of the ministry of justice He practices when and where he is assigned The government fixes the fees and no client needs prove that he is unable to pay

Arguments to adopt the British plan in this country will be powerful, and local bar associations will be well advised to prepare for the onslaught. The left wing of the triumphant Democratic party is thirsting for new forms of what it calls "socialization." It conceives the election to have been a mandate to continue the march.

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IT HAS NO ROOSEVELT to think up new schemes; Truman, after all, has been living on the fragments left by his predecessor. Here is a scheme ready-made, with immense political potentialities which almost any congressman can use to gain notable publicity for himself.

The conservative element in the American bar will face disadvantages in meeting such an attack which are not faced by the medical profession. The latter is a more carefully selected group. Requirements for the practice of medicine are vastly more rigid than those prevailing for admission to the bar

The legal profession itself has less unity than that of medicine. Only a fraction of the profession belongs to the American Bar association, and local associations in the cities do not include all or even a big majority of practitioners. A great number of lawyers are working for small and precarious incomes. And it is fair to say that intense antagonism prevails among the less successful against the more opulent firms and individuals.

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THE PROFESSION in many places is sharply divided between the so-called plaintiff and defendant sides of practice And there are many loud and persistent left-wingers among lawyers.

It must be recognized that a great deal of evidence can be produced to indicate that justice is not available in equal measure to rich and poor alike. Rapacious and incompetent lawyers still prey upon the ignorant and the needy. Right-minded lawyers, judges and social agencies have done much to eliminate exploitation, but much remains to be done.

The real issue is whether these evils can be cured by more government and more paternalism.

A Good 5-Cent Parking Lot

HARTFORD, Conn., has applied advertising to its parking problem.

Few parking spaces were taken in the city's peripheral parking lot, the American Society of Planning Officials reports, even with day-long parking fees at 20 cents, which included one round-trip bus ticket to the business district—six minutes away. The purpose of the lot—relief to the congested downtown area—was being defeated.

To spur the operation, a publicity campaign was decided upon A slogan—"What Hartford Shoppers Need Is a Good Five Cent Parking Lot"—was adopted after the parking fee was lowered and bus fares were no longer included in the cost to the patrons. Business increased immediately.

Downtown merchants were sold blocks of 1,000 tickets at the regular price to send to their customers having charge accounts when they rendered monthly bills. As an inducement to purchase tickets in blocks, stores' advertising messages were printed on the back of the tickets free of charge.

Signs advertising the lot were posted in the windows of all buses operating in the area, and signs were distributed to all stores in the city for window display. At the end of four weeks the parking lot was handling a near capacity volume of 1,711 vehicles weekly as compared with only 487 when the campaign started.

Comin' Over The Mountain

From News of Other Years

TEN YEARS AGO

It was Thursday, Dec. 22, 1938.

In view of a disclosure that WPA would be out of money by Feb. 7, senate and house leaders arranged to confer soon with President Roosevelt on the amount of an emergency appropriation.

Women members of the faculty at Harding High school met for luncheon and a gift exchange at Hotel Harding. The party included Mrs J. H. Harmon, Misses Ethelyn Baughman, Edith Brown, Marian Conley, Margery Eymon, Lucile Foreman, Isabel Freer, Josephine Haley, Rachel McAfee, Pansy Rauhauser, Verna Riley, Ruth Starr, Isabelle Stump, Mabel Turney, Etta Jacoby and Margaret Wolfley.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hull and daughter, Mrs. Harry McColly of Hane avenue, left for Fresno, Calif. to visit relatives.

A meeting of the Good Cheer circle of the King's Daughters was held at the home of Mrs Carl Campbell of Chestnut street.

Mrs. E. J. Strausbaugh was hostess to the Cosmos club for the annual Christmas party at her home on Cherry street

A gift exchange revealed names of mystery sisters when the Knock Knock bridge club met with Miss Ila Parish of Nye street.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

It was Saturday, Dec. 22, 1928.

Interviews with Marion ministers showed that they were unanimously in favor of uniting welfare agency financial campaigns here in a community chest.

Miss Clara Gillan, student at Bowling Green State Normal school, was spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Gillan of South Grand avenue.

Edward Irwin, student at the Association college in Chicago, arrived home to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Irwin of Carhart street.

Miss Frances Jennings of South State street was united in marriage with Warren W. Ballantine in the chapel of St. Paul's Episcopal church by Rev. S. S. Hardy.

Twenty-four children from needy families of the city were given a birthday party, including treats, by the Business Women's club.

A New Viewpoint

By Mark Sullivan

WASHINGTON

BECAUSE it goes to the heart of the country's most serious domestic problem, I quote a statement by the general manager of the Interstate Milk Producers Cooperative, O. H. Hoffman, Jr., at a hearing in Philadelphia. He was proposing a lowering of the price fixed by a government authority to be paid farmers for milk during the first quarter of the coming year, an enlightened point of view contrary to the self-interest of milk producers. But, Mr. Hoffman added:

"If another national round of wage increases takes place, it can be depended upon to increase producer costs to such an extent as to prevent the carrying out of the program we propose."

The immediate interest in this lies in its bearing on the proposal for a fourth round of wage increases—the fourth, that is, since mid-1945—which has been put forward by labor leaders at the recent national conventions of CIO and AFL and elsewhere. If the proposal is to take the form of specific demands, it will be during the winter and spring, when most of the existing wage contracts between unions and employers expire and come up for re-negotiation. A common expectation is that demands will be made, in some cases by large unions in basic industries. In such industries and others, if wage raises take place, and if they are followed by increases in prices of manufactured goods, as has been the frequent case during the past three years, the result would be another rise in the general price level and cost of living, a resumption of the upward wage-price spiral.

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YET THERE ARE conditions which may deter a fourth round of wage increases. One is the slight drop that has taken place in the cost of living, which, if it should continue, might by the coming spring take away some of the justification which labor leaders cite in support of a proposed fourth round of wage increases. Another deterrent is the state of public opinion which obviously welcomes the slight drop that has taken place in cost of living, wishes for more, and dreads another upward move of the wage-price spiral.

This public attitude is concrete and especially convincing in the proposal by a representative of milk producing farmers that the price paid to them for milk, which is fixed by the government, be lowered for the first quarter of the coming year. While the proposal for lowering comes from within a local organization of milk producers in some eastern states, and while the proposal is opposed by some within the organization, it nevertheless has meaning as a sign. A large part of the value of the proposal for lowering is educational.

When the general manager of the Interstate Milk Producers Cooperative says that the lowering of price he proposes would be prevented "if another national round of wage increases takes place," he is putting in words plain enough for all to grasp, a factor in the wage-price spiral generally which in fact is not universally grasped.

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IN THE LONG RUN, over a period of decades, there can be wage raises without specifically corresponding increases in the costs of goods or a rise in the general price level. This is shown by the broad increase in standard of living that has taken place over a long period. But in the condition that now exists and has existed for the past three years, the sequence of wage raises accompanied or followed by price increases is almost as certain as the sequence of the seasons in which winter follows fall. The sequence has operated again and again during the past three years. Over and over, labor leaders, in their frequent and successful demands for wage raises, have given rising cost of living as justification. Over and over, farm leaders have given increased cost of manufactured goods, following wage raises, as justification of higher prices for the food farmers produce.

If labor leaders and farm leaders could unite in realistic recognition of the wage-price sequence and could bring about agreement by their respective followings, a further upward move of the wage-price spiral could be averted. Such agreement, among other effects, could affect political leaders. This is important because, to an extent not commonly recognized, prices are influenced, in some cases directly fixed by government

Wild Parrots Talk

By The Associated Press

SYDNEY, Australia—A man in South Australia is greeted with "Hullo, Cockie" by large numbers of wild cockatoos wherever he goes in his district. He is H. J. Castinia, caretaker of a closed-down mine at Evanstown. With no neighbors within 100 miles, Mr. Castinia has made friends with the birds. For a number of years he captured young galahs, a species of rose-breasted cockatoos, kept them for a time, taught them to talk, and then released them. They, in turn, have "taught" their wild companions.

Light is the symbol of truth.—James Russell Lowell.

CROSSTOWN By Roland Coe

"If I get that B-B gun—oboy! Will I have some fun with these glass balls."

The Once Over

By H. I. PHILLIPS

The Nationalized Pub

England is considering nationalization of the pubs (bars and taverns to you). Government operation of hangovers is something new. But it is a further indication of how far the idea of state control of everything up to and including the dark brown taste and the morning after, is going.

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For generations, it would have been thought far below the dignity of any government to run a saloon and put itself in the position of replying to unceasing orders of "make mine the same, Joe." But today a proposal that the state operate poolrooms, bowling alleys and men's smokers would hardly astonish anybody.

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Just the same, we hate to think of any sovereign state becoming a combination saloonkeeper, bartender and bouncer. It isn't going to be nice when the folks take to blaming bad Mickey Finns or bureaucracy or demanding a change of administration on account of what seems to be a government imposed headache.

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Who wants to do his quartet singing under government control? What satisfaction can be extracted from the thought that when you are arguing with a bartender you are talking back to the state?

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Will the old time song be changed to run:

Father, dear father, come home to us now,
The clock in the steeple strikes 8;
We're foodless at home in a cold little flat
While you're getting boiled by the state

II

The larder is empty, the fire is low;
Dear mom and the kiddies are blue.
It doesn't seem right for the old home to be
Ignored by the nation and you.

III

There's nothing to eat and the winter is here—
The Arctic gales down on us roar;
Oh, why should we live in such drab misery
While you and the State have "one more"?

IV

Oh, father dear father, please think of us all.
Ignored in this cold, dreary house;
Come home while you still have a little control
And don't be a government souse!

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Have a care, England! Such ideas as you propose can spread. Let it not be said that John Bull has switched from "Britannia rules the waves" to "Britannia waves the bar rag."

J. E. Webb, Director of the Budget, favors $150,000 a year for the President of the U.S.A., as against $75,000. Why not? On the latter sum it is hard to see how the President can keep the wolf from the door, not to mention the elephant

Add similes: As short lived as the main tube in a video set.

CLARISSA

"She'll leave him bag and baggage some fine day."
They said when first she married Uncle Ned.
"No gypsies ever stay."
But it was Ned who took his pack
To sea one time and never did come back
While Aunt Clarissa stayed and raised his sprouts,
One gentleman, two ladies, in
A way to shame our whispered doubts,
Until they wed and moved away
Far from the path she raked and hoed
And left her as you see today,
Staring forever down the road.

HENRY G. MOSER

Al Jolson is the latest entertainer to announce he is to quit radio. "It's stagnant. The people don't like it and the hams on the other end don't like it," says Al frankly shaking off his mammy-song manner. "I'm getting out of it soon."

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Wanna bet?

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Well, Jolson, one of the greatest entertainers of all time, and one who was a headliner before radio was heard of, must know why it's stagnant, and why the listeners "and the hams" are fed up. It is because the material is not only pretty bad, but pretty much in the same pattern. No small part of it is stolen. It is common to hear the same gags on the same programs the same night. Or to hear a gag one night on one broadcast and to hear it for a month on dozens of others. And Al also knows that back in the days when he was packing the Winter Garden for record runs, a lot of the material he and others use on the air would have been tossed into the ashcan as fifth rate stuff.

T. Manville's Essay

By Truman Twill

Interrupted in his busy round of spreading good cheer among cats, T. Manville the tomcat was reminded that readers of this column might like to have a word from him before the end of the year. He responded with this message:

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Once more it is Christmas, though something is lacking. Cats have had no chance till today to make tracks in the snow so city fools who don't know one animal track from another can look at them and wonder if they were made by some wild animal. I shouldn't say this because people already are cynical about enough things, but there are cats who can imitate rabbits, squirrels, possums and many other of their furred friends and sometimes do this for a laugh.

Cats enjoy Christmas because people loosen up and are more agreeable than at other times of the year. Cats also loosen up and have a good time. The pressure of survival is eased up. There is more of a spirit of live and let live. Cats, in turn, go easy on the birds, who have enough trouble as it is keeping their feet warm.

Some people may wonder what cats give one another for Christmas. Their favorite gift, which is practically the same as getting a mink coat or a new convertible, is a mouseskin muff. These are best when the mouse is still inside. There also are other common gifts, such as sprigs of dried catnip, bottles of milk and the secret locations of bird nests that can be watched when the birds use them the next time.

Apropos of what has been in the papers lately, I know of a country cat who used to give hollowed-out pumpkins to his friends for Christmas. These would be left lying around for use on cold nights and it wouldn't surprise me at all if the pumpkin used by Whittaker Chambers was hollowed out by a cat because it was in the same part of the country where my friend lived when I knew him. That was during my travels some time ago when I lived in Maryland

Communism never made any headway among cats in that part of the country, or any other part, as far as I know. The reason is that cats are not mad at anybody. On the other hand they aren't nuts about anybody, except other cats. Joe Stalin is just a Russian to cats, if you see what I mean. It's only human beings who get mixed up and sell their own souls, but that is not the right kind of a thought for Merry Christmas.

In closing, I want to say "Merry Christmas" to all cats. I am fine, thank you, and hope you are the same. I intend to spend the holidays batting ornaments off the Christmas tree at the Twillery. My average for last Christmas was .379 and I think I can boost it to .400 this year.

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Bucyrus Couple Mark 54th Anniversary

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BUCYRUS—Mrs. B. F. Hayes, Bucyrus registered [illegible] years ago and [illegible] ing and enjoyed [illegible] entertained at a family dinner at the home here of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hoffus.

Dinner guests included their son, Richard and family. In the afternoon the group went to Crestline to visit Mr. Hayes' cousin and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bender.

The couple was married at Sulphur Springs Dec. 19, 1894. Mrs. Hayes was formerly Miss Mary E. Howell. They lived in Sulphur Springs until moving to Bucyrus in 1924. Mr. Hayes is custodian at the Bucyrus Telegraph-Forum building.

Columbus Pastor Called to Bucyrus

Special to The Star

BUCYRUS—A unanimous call has been extended to Rev. J. E. Katterhenrich of St. Paul's Lutheran church in Columbus to become pastor of Good Hope Lutheran church here.

The call was issued following recommendation of Rev. Katterhenrich by the church's Vestry and special pulpit committee.

Rev. Katterhenrich has been pastor of the Columbus church two and one-half years. Prior to [illegible] World War II he had served at Greenville, O., and during the war he was a Navy chaplain.

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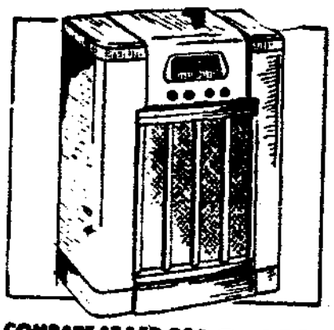

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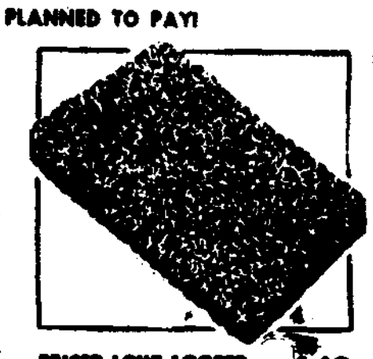

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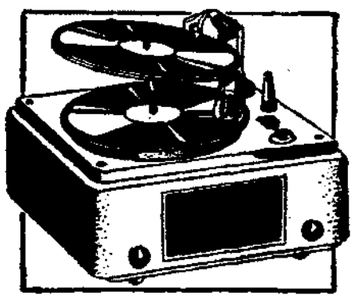

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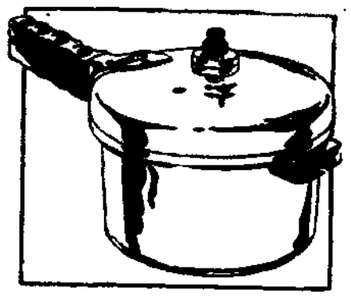

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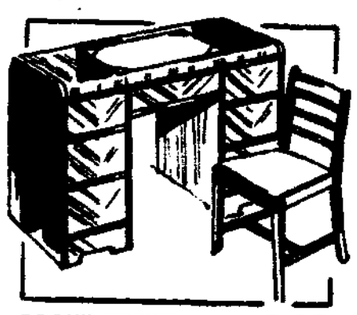

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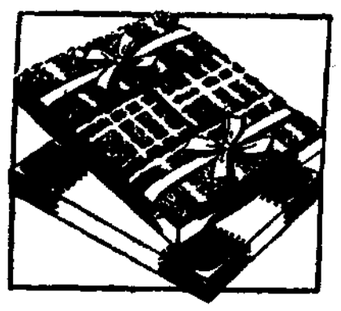

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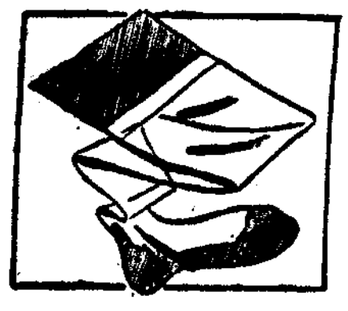

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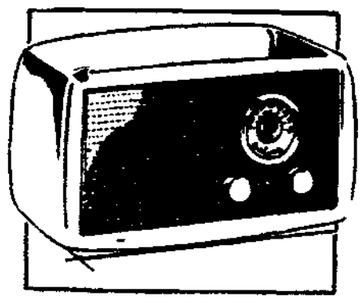

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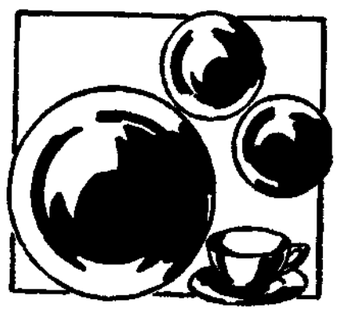

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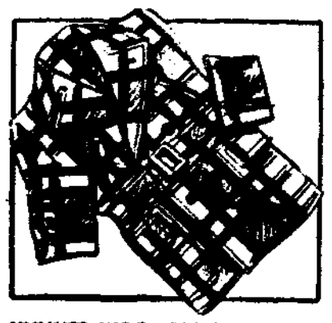

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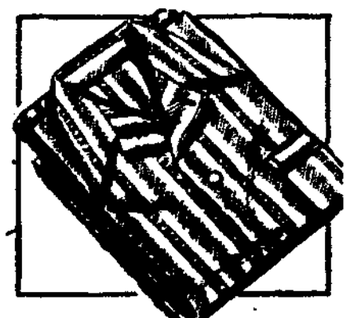

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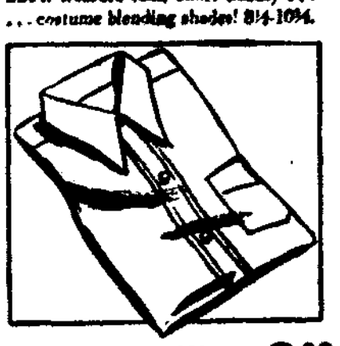

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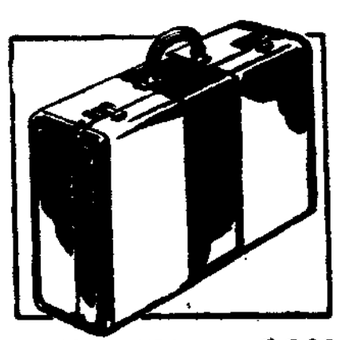

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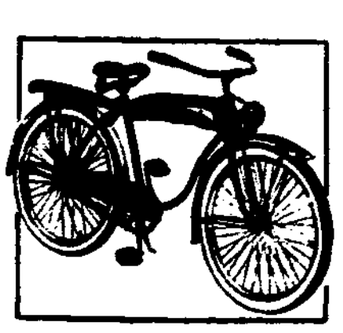

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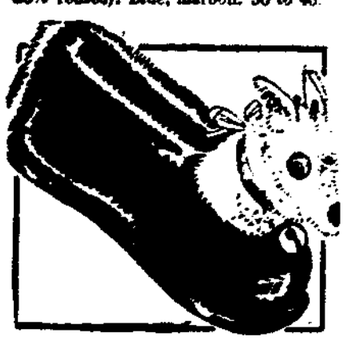

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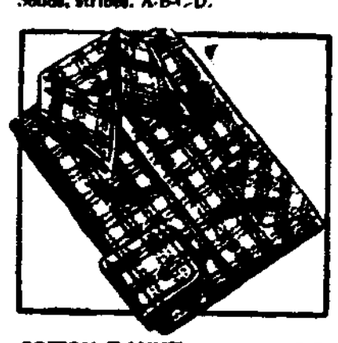

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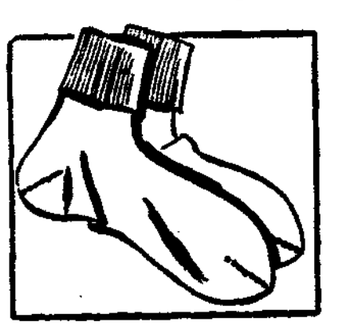

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Social Affairs

FOLLOWING an annual custom members of the Tuesday Study club were joined by their husbands for dinner and cards last evening at the Federation Home. Dinner was served at 6:30 o'clock from a buffet table centered with an arrangement of greenery and pine cones and tall lighted red candles. Small tables arranged throughout the rooms held centerpieces of Christmas greenery, cones and red candles. Hostesses were members of the social committee, Mrs. Kelley R. Vance, Mrs. Harold W. Monnette, assisted by Mrs. Carl Werley, Mrs. W. R. Martin, Mrs. A. J. Wagner and Mrs. Mary Maxwell. Awards in cards were won by Mrs. Gaines L. Rush and Mrs. Edward T. Huber.

A POTLUCK dinner was followed by an evening of games when members of Ohio Delta Beta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority met last evening at the home of Mrs. Bonar Thompson on Pennsylvania avenue. Awards were won by Mrs. Jack Lautensiager, Mrs. Robert Dripps, Mrs. William Turner, Mrs. Harold Walker, Miss Harriet Goodwin and Miss Doris Neuman. A gift exchange was held. Mrs. Jack Lautensiager and Mrs. Robert Lautensiager of Hollywood, Fla., were guests.

Misses Martha and Betty Stoner entertained with a Christmas party Sunday evening at their home on Blaine avenue. Games were played, and a gift exchange was held, with the gifts arranged under a decorated tree. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roberts and daughter, Marilyn Ann, Miss Mary Jane Williams, Charlie Adams, Miss Norma Luke, Don Red, Miss Alice Price, George DeLong, Miss Joan Lingo, Howard Waters, Jonn Snyder, John Dickason, Robert Stoner and Gerald Quaintance.

Members of the Get-Together club were entertained recently at the home of Mrs. Betty McClaskey near Prospect. Devotions were conducted by Mrs. Nina Ruth Hedges, and 17 members responded to roll call by guessing their secret sisters, which were later revealed in a gift exchange.

Mrs. Donna Mae Flach, in charge of the program, read a Christmas poem, and contest awards were won by Mrs. Edith Schwaderer and Mrs. Martha Reynolds. The guessing box went to Mrs. Hedges. Mrs. Mary Ellen Withrow was a guest. The next meeting, Jan. 11, will be with Mrs. Flach.

Mrs. K. F. Harbin of Gill avenue entertained a group of children Saturday afternoon at her home in honor of her son Jerry, who was celebrating his eighth birthday anniversary. A large decorated cake centered the table. Prizes in games were won by Ted Hoyt, Junior White, Mickey Maise and Jerry Temple.

Other guests included Junior Savage, Billy Wheatro, Allen Short, Byron Toombs, Jack Noel, Dick Burklew, Ronald Dixon, Jim and Ed Abrams, Jerry and Kenneth Fields, Bing Evans and Tommie Bobin.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Wilcox entertained employes of the Peerless Dry Cleaners at their annual Christmas party Saturday evening at the Coffee Pot restaurant. Covers were placed for 30. Decorations were in keeping with the season and a gift exchange was held.

A potluck supper was held by members of the Jolly Time club Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Kathryn Knutsen on Windsor street. One new member was welcomed, election of officers for the new year was held, and names of secret sisters for the new year were drawn. In contests and games honors were won by Mrs. Goldie Clewell and Mrs. Louise Smith on Cherry street, a birthday party was held for the pleasure of Mrs. Cowell.

The Monday Bridge club held a Christmas dinner Monday evening in the Jade room of the Snyder hotel. Tables were decorated with feathered Christmas trees and candles. Individual Santas were at each place. After the dinner bridge was played. Winners were Mrs. Harry Jones and Mrs. Paul Swartz. Mrs. Merle Cowell was consoled.

Mrs. George Barks was appointed chairman for the coming year. Guests were Mrs. Paul Rudolph, Mrs. Dan Kelley, Mrs. William Glimpse and Miss Jeannette Bender.

The club will meet Jan. 17 at the home of Mrs. James Bull on Belmont street.

The Friendship Euchre club held its annual Christmas dinner and gift exchange Friday evening at Ringer's inn. In cards high honors went to Mrs. Howard Rizer, low to Mrs. Harvey Vroman, and floating to Mrs. Bernice Freshour. Mrs. Florence Dixon was a guest.

Rev. and Mrs. E. K. Bryant of Spencer, S. D., arrived in Marion Tuesday to spend the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Bryant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Shearer of 687 Cleveland avenue. Mrs. Bryant is the former Miss Jean Shearer. Rev. Bryant, formerly of Council Bluffs, Ia., is pastor of the Church of the Nazarene in Spencer. Rev. and Mrs. Bryant expect to remain in Marion until Dec. 30.

HOME DEMONSTRATION MEETINGS IN COUNTY

Wednesday, 2 p. m.—Grand Prairie school. Textile painting. All women of the community invited to attend. Mrs. Paul Lill, home council member.

Thursday, Dec. 30, 10 a. m.—Home of Mrs. Paul Schaber. Potluck dinner at noon. Repair of spring filled cushions for chair or davenport. Mrs. George Baxter, home council member.

Mrs. Marie M. Andrew Elected C. L. of C. Head

Mrs. Marie McAndrew was elected president when the Catholic Ladies of Columbia met Monday night in Moira hall. The occasion was a combined business meeting and Christmas party. A covered dish dinner preceded the meeting, and there was a gift exchange.

Mrs. Catherine Dunn was elected vice president, Mrs. Margaret Baker, recording secretary, Mrs. Kathryn Anderson, financial secretary, and Mrs. Violet Bohler, treasurer.

PARTY FOR EMPLOYES

The Danner Buick Co. held a Christmas party for employes yesterday in the Marion Club room of the Hotel Harding. Twenty-six persons were present for a 6:30 dinner. Gifts and bonuses were given to the employes. Jack Danner was master of ceremonies.

Estimates of the time it will take to restore war wrecked Berlin range up to 50 years.

107TH ANNIVERSARY. Spry and busy each day with household chores, Mrs. Mary A. Kilworth is shown in her Extra, Ia. home after celebrating her 107th birthday. Mrs. Kilworth came to America from England before the Civil War and recalls Indians roaming the Extra area when she was a young farm wife. Her husband died 42 years ago.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY HONORS MRS. E. N. HALE

To honor the birthday anniversary of Mrs. E. N. Hale, director of the Epworth Methodist choir, a surprise party was arranged following rehearsal Friday night. Miss Arlene Houpt was hostess at her home at 132 South High street, where the choir members gathered following practice at the church. She was assisted by her mother, Mrs. W. C. Houpt. Birthday anniversaries of two members of the choir, Mrs. Rex Robinson and Mrs. C. H. Indoe, were celebrated also.

The house was decorated throughout in keeping with Christmas, with greenery, holly, and red and white candles in varying sizes including a huge Christmas candle illuminating the scene. Large red candles were on the refreshments table, and a three-tier birthday cake was decorated with rosebuds, figures of children and other symbols including the lettering of "Happy Birthday." Arranged on the table was a silver service, and adding to the festive appearance of the setting were small Christmas cookies. Anniversaries of Mrs. Hale and Mrs. Indoe were Monday of this week, and Mrs. Robinson's is Friday.

Centerville Couple Married Fifty Years

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collins, residents of Centerville, located southwest of Green Camp, will observe their golden wedding anniversary Thursday, Dec. 24. Due to the ill health of the couple no special observance has been planned.

The bride of 50 years ago was Miss Nancy Jane Rice. Their marriage took place at Brush Ridge. Both have been residents of Marion county most of their lives, having resided in Marion at one time following their marriage. Mr. Collins formerly operated a grocery store at Centerville.

Mrs. Collins is the last of her family. Mr. Collins has one sister, Mrs. Wallace Johns of Upper Sandusky.

Soldier Tells Story Of Widow's Killing

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 22—(AP)—Pvt. Harold Sweet, 22, of near Johnstown, O., late yesterday repeated to Joel S. Rhinefort, Lucas county prosecutor, how Mrs. Lucile Harwold, 78-year-old widow, was beaten to death and robbed in her home here Friday night.

Sweet, held without bond to the county grand jury on a charge of first degree murder, choked up when he conversed yesterday by telephone with his mother, Mrs. Walter Sweet. She told him that Robert Doughten, Johnstown attorney, has been retained as counsel.

Sweet said he and his companion, Pvt. Ira Howell, 17, Affinity, W. Va. decided to rob Mrs. Harwold to obtain money to return to Fort Jackson, S. C., from which they were AWOL, but did not intend killing her, Rhinefort announced.

HOSTESS TO CLASS

When the Willing Workers class of Fite Memorial Baptist church met for a Christmas party last week, Mrs. Della Frost was hostess in her home at 755 Woodrow avenue. Devotions and prayers were by Mrs. Alice Barr, Mrs. Elizabeth Glen and Mrs. Virginia Maugans. Mrs. Leona Sanderson was appointed treasurer to replace Mrs. Mary Simpkins who resigned. Names for class meeting were drawn for the year. Mrs. Margaret Darling offered closing prayer of the business session. During a social hour, a poem was presented by Mrs. Glen. A gift exchange was held. Secret sisters were revealed, and new names were drawn. Guessing box prize went to Mrs. Fred Porter. Luncheon was served by the hostess and her daughter, Phyllis, and Mrs. Bertha Osborn.

SALT ROCK CLUB MEETS

Nineteen members responded to roll call on the theme, "What I Have Learned by Club Attendance," when the Salt Rock Joymakers club met for an all-day meeting Dec. 16 with Mrs. Mary Owen near Meeker. A potluck dinner was served at noon. Mrs. Helen Newland conducted devotions. Christmas carols were sung by the group, and Mrs. Caddie Rhoads presented the program topic, "Santa on a Pacific Isle." The guessing box was won by Mrs. Florence Roszman, and a gift exchange was held. Guests were Miss Carol Roszman, Misses Caroline and Christine Gatewood, Connie Denman. The next meeting, Jan. 20, will be with Mrs. Glendora Peters near Meeker.

TESTS PASSED BY NEW FIRE TRUCK

Is Officially Accepted Today by Administration.

The Marion city administration officially accepted the new $27,000 American La France aerial ladder fire truck at noon today.

An exhaustive two-hour test of the new machine conducted yesterday by Chief Sifritt and the fire department on Vernon Heights boulevard near Bedford street was sufficient to satisfy firemen and officials the aerial will fulfill local needs.

A second series of tests was to be held at 2 p. m. today in front of the Central Fire station for the benfit of Mayor Dowler, Safety-Service Director Uncapher, and firemen who were on duty and could not attend yesterday's tests.

In yesterday's test the latest American La France pumper the city owns, from Mark street firehouse, was hooked to the new aerial and for 30 minutes forced a high-powered stream of water through a two and one-half inch line extended the full length of the upraised ladder, which was shifted to a wide variety of positions to show flexibility of operation under fire fighting conditions.

Bad Luck Dogs Husband Of Former Galionite

COLUMBUS, Dec. 22—(UP)—John Van Meter can take it but don't rub it in, with those "Merry Christmas" greetings.

The 24-year-old supervisor of irregular claim files for the Ohio World War II bonus fund was evicted from his home here the day before Thanksgiving. He had to send his wife and two-year-old son to Galion to live with his parents.

Monday night he worked overtime to get bonus checks mailed so veterans would get them in time for Christmas. When he finally finished he found a thief had taken $800 worth of clothing and Christmas presents from his car parked in front of bonus headquarters.

Propose Engineer For Bucyrus Fire Dept.

BUCYRUS, O., Dec. 22—(UP)—City council today studied a proposal to create a post of mechanical engineer in the city fire department at an annual salary of $3,700.

The recommendation of Safety Director John Carroll and Fire Chief William Mader has been referred to the ordinance committee of city council. Action on the proposal is expected Jan. 4.

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OFFICE ETIQUETTE. . . . Don't use the office as a beauty parlor. Do your personal grooming at home, or have it done elsewhere after hours.

Santa Greets Toledo Boy About To Die

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 22—(AP)—Two childish cards, scrawled in crayon and saying "A Merry Christmas To You," hang by the bed of nine-year-old Freddy Liszi.

Freddy doesn't know it, of course, but doctors say he hasn't much of a chance to live to Christmas. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Liszi, Sr., is doomed by a cancer which has spread to his arms, spine, temple, legs and one lung.

Young Freddy drew the cards and helped hang them after Santa Claus came to see him last Saturday. Santa left a toy pistol and a football.

Freddy said last night he could [illegible] hardy wait for Easter weather so he could start playing with the pals and ride his bike around.

He doesn't know just how he got the idea he was getting well. He went to May of 1946 after he came home from school and complained of a pain in the back. His condition became acute and physicians diagnosed his case as one of the worst.

CINCINNATI RAISES PAY

CINCINNATI, Dec. 22—(AP)—A special city council committee yesterday approved City Manager W. R. Kellogg's recommendation to boost the city payroll by $1,355,950 annually. Kellogg recommended cost of living increases ranging from 6.9 to 10.1 per cent.

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HOT SENATE SHAPING UP

Both Republicans and Democrats Face Organization Scuffle.

WASHINGTON, Dec 22—(AP)—Both Republicans and Democrats in the new senate may do some hot scrapping among themselves before they settle down to party line fighting

In the making are contests for

1 The post of senate president pro tempore mostly an honorary job so long as there is a vice president to preside over the chamber Friends of Senator Tydings of Maryland are trying to put him in the spot which Senator McKellar of Tennessee held until the Republicans took control of congress two years ago

2 The minority (GOP) floor leadership This is the one that may cause the most fireworks if Senator Wherry, Nebraska decides to fight for the job.

Favors New Job

Wherry is keeping his own counsel, but friends said the Nebraskan is not taking kindly to a campaign to shove him back into his old post as assistant leader

In the last session, Wherry served as acting leader because Senator White of Maine was ill White did not seek reelection

Ever since last month's election upset, self-styled liberals among the Republicans have been more or less openly clamoring for Wherry's scalp. Wherry also is said to have incurred the opposition of Senator Vandenberg of Michigan because some of his votes against certain foreign policy proposals sponsored by Vandenberg

Taft Favors Wherry

On the other hand, Senator Taft of Ohio—who appears likely to be reelected chairman of the GOP policy committee—has told friends he prefers Wherry.

The self-dubbed liberal group has been talking of putting up their own candidate against Wherry. Those mentioned in this connection include Senators Baldwin of Connecticut, Lodge and Saltonstall of Massachusetts and Knowland of California.

On the other hand, some veteran members of the senate have been talking about a shift which would make Vandenberg—the retiring president pro-tem—chairman of the GOP conference—Senator Millikin of Colorado the floor leader instead of conference chairman and Wherry the assistant leader.

Waldo Ruth Circle Of Waldo Entertained

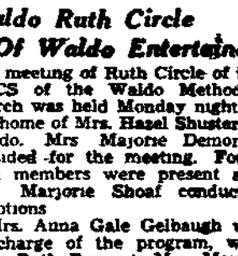
A meeting of Ruth Circle of the WSCS of the Waldo Methodist church was held Monday night at the home of Mrs. Hazel Shuster in Waldo. Mrs Majorie Demorest presided for the meeting. Fourteen members were present and Mrs Marjorie Shoaf conducted devotions

Mrs. Anna Gale Gelbaugh was in charge of the program, with Mrs Ruth Rengert, Mrs. Martha Scott, Mrs. Marian McMahan and Mrs Darlene Smith taking part. A report on clothing taken to the South Side Settlement House in Columbus was given by Mrs. Gelbaugh

Mrs Charles Turley sang a special number, "Sweet Little Jesus Boy," and the selection, "I Love Old Santa," was given by Gary McMahan Carols were sung by the group and the meeting was closed with prayer

A grab bag exchange was held and refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs Gelbaugh, Mrs Mildred Temple and Carol and Alice Shuster The next meeting will be Jan. 28 with Mrs McMahan.

The Grand Canyon of Colorado was discovered by Don Lopez de Cardenas and 12 members of the Coronado expedition from Mexico in 1540.



Why worry about expenses! This remark was overheard yesterday, where a group of older garments are enjoying a few days of rejuvenation treatment. "It's little enough to pay for looking young and pretty again."

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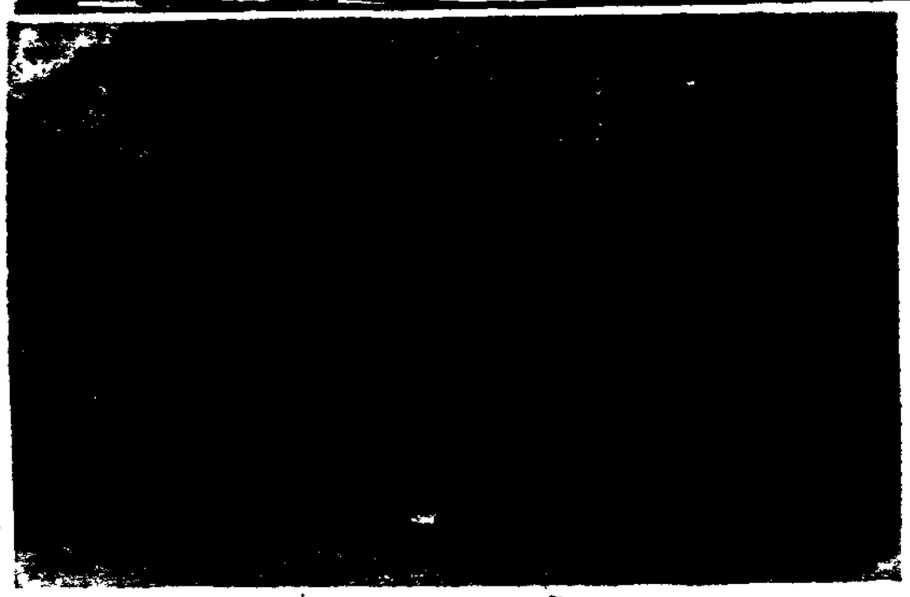

"Christmas in an American Home," as depicted by an artist for Leslie's Weekly in the 1890s, and (right) "Hanging the Christmas Stocking," one of the best-known Christmas drawings of Thomas Nast.

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By CLARK KINNAIRD
King Features Syndicate Writer

The Christmas that is now traditional in most of the lands in which it is observed, is the result of the amalgamation of the customs of many people, as has been indicated in previous articles in this series No other body of folk customs is so cosmopolitan as those surrounding Christmas

"Santa Claus" and the custom of exchanging gifts comes from Asia Minor and the Netherlands, as does the Christmas stocking, but the physical concept of Santa today is of American origin The lighted Christmas tree we get from Germany; the tinsel and ornaments on the tree from southern Europe, and the Yule log from Scandinavia. Holly and mistletoe we owe to the Druids of early England, and carols to Middle Age England and France. The creche is from Italy. The colored hard candies derive from Italy; nuts, figs and raisins from Spain.

Christmas fare also represents a melding of the traditions of various peoples Oldest of the usual elements of the Christmas dinner is the mince pie. It goes back to the Middle Ages in Europe, where it was originally baked in an oblong shape to represent the manger of the Nativity. One was supposed to eat 12 of them between Christmas Night and Twelfth Night (Jan. 6) The recipe had symbolism; it was supposed to represent the gold, frankincense and myrrh of the Magi. The crust was the gold; the spices the myrrh, the aroma, the frankincense.

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THE CHRISTMAS turkey is an American innovation now well-established in England and other countries A boar's head was the traditional Christmas course in England until the time of James I That monarch hated pork and ordered fowl served at the royal table instead. This introduced a custom of serving swan, peacock or goose No one who has ever read Dickens "Christmas Carol" forgets the description of the Crachits' Christmas dinner

There never was such a goose cooked Its tenderness and flavour, size and cheapness, were the theme of universal admiration Eked out by apple-sauce and mashed potatoes, it was a sufficient dinner for the whole family . Yet everyone had had enough and the youngest Crachits in particular were steeped in sage and onion to the eyebrows But now, the plates being changed by Miss Belinda Mrs Crachit left the room alone —too nervous to bear witness to take the pudding up, and bring it in

"Suppose it should not be done enough' Suppose it should break in turning out! Suppose somebody should have got over the wall of the backyard, and stolen it while they were merry with the goose .

"Hallo' A great deal of steam' The pudding was out of the copper A smell like washing day' That was the cloth A smell like an eating-house and a pastry-cook's next door to each other with the laundress's next to that' That was the pudding In half a minute Mrs Crachit entered, flushed, but smiling proudly with the pudding, like a speckled cannon-ball, so hard and firm, blazing in half of half-a-quartern of ignited brandy, and bedight with Christmas holly stuck into the top

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THE CRACHITS could not have been expected to have a Christmas tree The Christmas tree was not popular in England till one was introduced in the royal palace by the German Prince Albert in 1841, after he married the future Queen Victoria The tree had been an established custom in Germany for centuries There is a tradition that it was a custom started by Martin Luther, but this is questioned

Evergreen twigs were used for decorating at the time of the festival of the Nativity by Christians in northern Europe long before Luther Holly and ivy also were identified with the holiday at a very early date Holly represented the master of the house, whereas ivy represented the mistress. Holly was considered to be sacred and sedate; ivy was assumed to be of a very riotous nature

Mistletoe among the early Druids represented love. In the early Christian church it was made customary to bestow the "kiss of peace" at Christmas time These two symbols have become interwoven in the custom of kissing under the mistletoe.

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A CHRISTMAS tradition as old as any, the Yule log, is dying out in this age of apartments with gas logs and houses with oil-heating. In olden times, the Yule log had to be brought home by the manfolk on Christmas Eve and kindled by the women with the remains of the previous year's log, kept especially for the purpose The girls had to first wash their hands before setting the log ablaze It was believed that the devil was powerless to do mischief to households where the Yule log had been properly burned

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TO KEEP UP HOUSING UNIT

RITTMAN (O., Dec. 22—(AP)—Although the federal government will abandon the 100-home Willow Brown as a housing project the village council here has decided to keep the unit operating There are 139 families on the waiting list if any vacancies occur among the 100 present tenancies The Ohio Boxboard Co and other industries have been operating at a rate that has pinched severely the housing capacity of this little northeastern Wayne county town of about 4,500

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One Man's Opinion

By WALTER KIERNAN

We have a few days left to send Christmas cards to those who sent us Christmas cards thinking we would send them Christmas cards.

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This is the same predicament as the man who never could make his coffee and toast come out even A wags he was half a slice ahead or a half a cup behind

And it is advisable also to start a direct course now from the back door to some store that will be open Christmas day.

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The news from Indonesia indicated that they have received nothing they wanted for Christmas and the present visitors bear little resemblance to the Netherlands jolly St Nicholas.

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Our state department which just expected to send out a few cards for Christmas now has to write a note or two.

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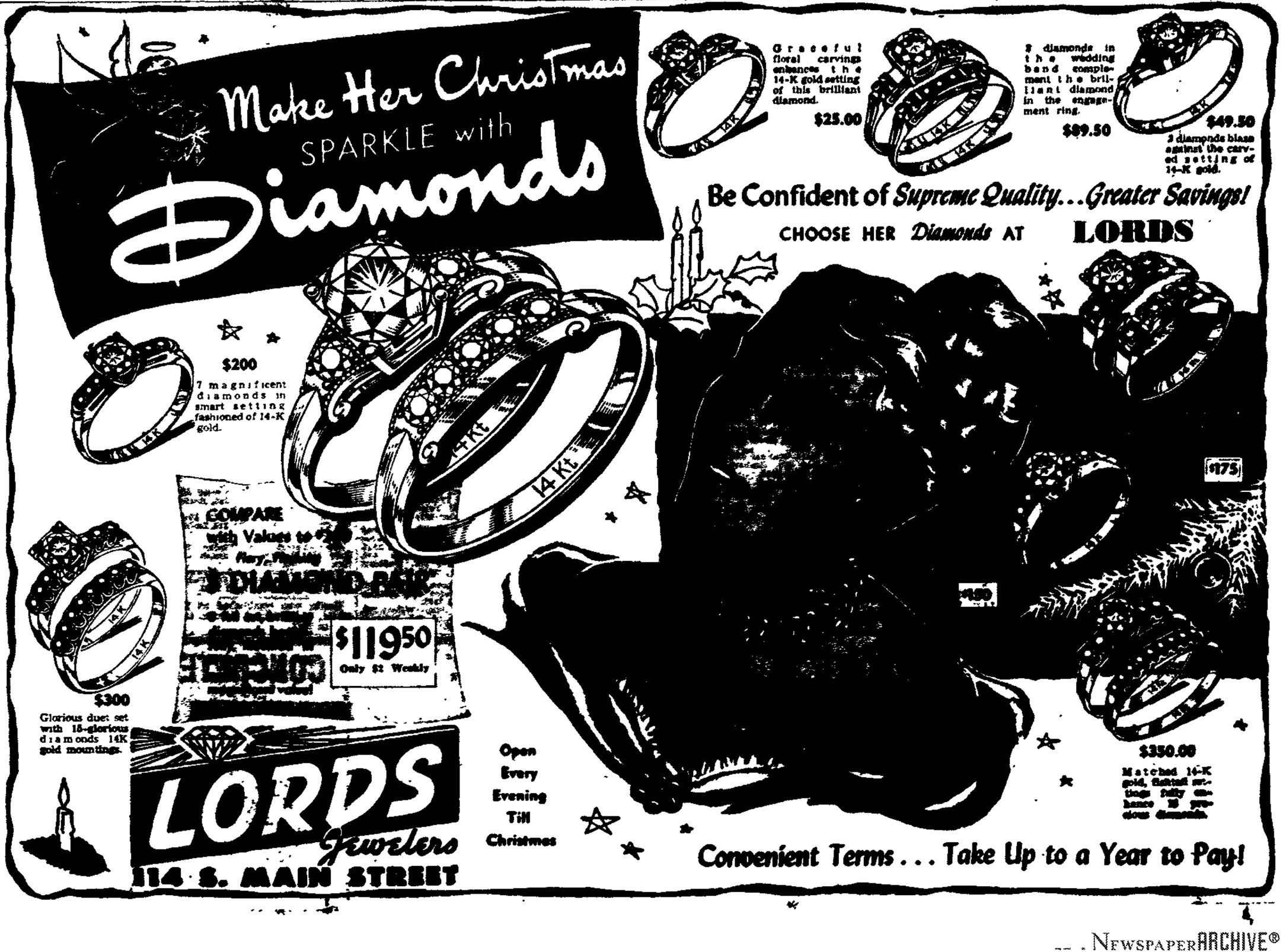

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